

S. F. WOMAN POISONS HUSBAND BY MISTAKE

WATERMAN TO RESIGN HIS OFFICE

Berkeley School Superintendent Stirs Political Pot.

BERKELEY, March 21.—Silvanus D. Waterman, superintendent of the Berkeley school system, has resigned and the Berkeley political world is awry in the light of his resignation. Three men are in the race and the varying elements are lined up in a hand-to-hand fight for their favorite. The two local candidates are Morris C. James, principal of the Berkeley High School, and Professor C. L. Eidenbach, principal of the McKinley grammar school. The favorite is an outsider, Frank C. Bunker of Los Angeles, assistant to Dr. E. C. Moore, formerly of the educational department of the State University, and now superintendent of public schools for Los Angeles county.

Waterman's resignation will go before the board of education next Tuesday night. It is also said that Harry H. Glessmer will resign the principalship of the Whittier grammar school and that Waterman will step into the place. Glessmer is to acquire the stationery business of Needham Brothers and become a merchant instead of an educator.

To Get School. Waterman has been superintendent of schools in Berkeley for the past twelve years, coming here from Stockton as a high school teacher. Waterman has been a diplomat. As far as can be learned, he is now retelling of his even career. The political powers declare that he could not have secured reappointment this fall at the expiration of his four years' appointment. It is understood that he asked and was granted the head of the Whittier School as a place to slip into as the price of his voluntary retirement.

Vote Changes. Over night things changed. This morning further and further "piled down" in favor of a local man. As there are seven members on the board Bunker still has the lead, and even if he should lose another vote it would be necessary for the opposition to concentrate their strength on one man to beat him. Frank C. Bunker is one of the survivors of the ill-fated steamer Valencia, lost on the reefs of the west coast of Vancouver Island about two years ago. Bunker underwent the experience of seeing his wife and two children drown before his eyes after being exhausted with cold and exposure. Later he accepted a position in the Seattle school department, but went to Los Angeles about a year ago to accept the assistant superintendent of that county. He was married again about a year ago.

Fight Trust Cases Again Postponed

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—The attorneys representing the several defendants indicted by the grand jury in connection with the fight trust this morning submitted supplementary demurrers in the cases against them, which has the effect of postponing the pleadings which were to be taken today.

Stumbles Off Wharf Into Bay; Is Saved

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—Ernest Johnson, a clerk, who says he lives in Oakland, was fished from the waters of the bay off Broadway wharf at 1 o'clock this morning by seamen longshoremen and taken to the harbor hospital, where he was resuscitated by Dr. Tillman. It is supposed that Johnson stumbled into the water. He was able to go to his home this morning.

HENEY ERRED IN AFFIDAVIT, ADMITS O'GARA

Gallagher Did Not Testify in the Glass Case, as Attorney Said.

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—The most startling fact brought out during the hearing of the case of Arthur Ruff in Judge Lawlor's court this morning was the admission by Assistant District Attorney O'Gara, that James Gallagher was not a witness in either the trial of Louis Glass, although Assistant District Attorney Henev, in his affidavit, refers to statements made by the former Supervisor on the stand in that case.

When the proceedings began today, Attorney Ach, representing Ruff, stated to the court that the affidavit of the defendant in reply to that of Henev and also to portions of the affidavits of James M. Gallagher, Andrew M. Wilson, James Foley, J. P. McCarthy, D. McCarthy, and several others was not quite finished and he asked a continuance until next Wednesday in order that he might submit it.

Burns has Affidavit. He stated that in addition to the affidavit mentioned he had been served with a lengthy affidavit of William J. Burns last night which he had not had an opportunity to read over, and to which it might also be necessary to reply. He said that he had to leave the city this afternoon and would not return till Monday morning.

TRIES TO BEAT BRAINS OUT IN CELL

Priest's Slayer Sentenced to Hang First Week in July.

DENVER, March 21.—In the criminal division of the District Court today Judge Greely denied the motion for a new trial for Giuseppe Alla, convicted of the murder of Father Leo Heinrichs, whom he shot to death in St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in this city Sunday, February 23, and sentenced him to be hanged during the week beginning July 1st.

CREDITORS' AUCTION SALE of the fine stock of groceries, liquors and fixtures of Styles' store, 2533 Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale. Sale Monday, March 22, at 10:30 a. m. Comprising: Ghirardelli's, Schilling's, T. & B. Hill's tea, coffee, spices, canned goods, pickles, flour, sugar, Royal baking powder, mushrooms, beans, soap, syrup, sugar, tobacco, notions, crockery, crockery, etc. About 75 cases of canned goods, choice line of liquor, etc. Fixtures comprise National cash register, scales, show cases, counters, shelving, etc. This is an extra fine stock and must be sold. J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers. 1005-7-9, Clay street, Oakland. Telephone Oakland 4671.

STOESSEL IS TAKEN TO PRISON

Commandant at Port Arthur Begins Ten-Year Term.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 21.—Lieutenant General Stoessel began yesterday to serve ten years' imprisonment for cowardice and treason in surrendering Port Arthur. He occupied a room in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, adjoining that of Rear Admiral Nebogatov, who is serving a like sentence for surrendering to the Japanese in the Sea of Japan. The room is about twenty feet square and overlooks a little garden where the convicted officers are permitted to promenade.

Judge Ready for The 'Black Hand'

NEW YORK, March 21.—Judge Lewis L. Fawcett of Brooklyn, judge of the county court, the recipient of many "black hand" threats recently, has been granted a permit by the police department to carry a revolver. "I have received so many threats," said Judge Fawcett, "that I decided to take cognizance of them. Now all I want is a chance for the first shot. The other fellow can have all the rest."

DOCTORS' WORD HALSEY IS ILL WON'T DO FOR DUNNE

Orders Investigation of His Condition

(Special to The Tribune.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—Theodore V. Halsey, former outside man for the Pacific States Telephone Company, who has been ill for several months following an operation for appendicitis, and who is accused by the Oliver grand jury of bribery, came in this morning, as did his attorney Bert Schlesinger, for several separate sittings at the hands of Superior Judge Dunne when the Halsey case was called in Department 6 of the Superior Court. Attorney Schlesinger moved for a continuance, saying that the defendant was still a very sick man and confined to his home.

HE SAYS: 'I WANT TO SEE STREETS RUN WITH BLOOD'

Divine Would Use Gun for Prohibition

CHICAGO, March 21.—Rev. Clarence I. Corneli, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarenes, wants to see the streets of Chicago run with blood in the combat now on between prohibition and its enemies. He told the Cook county Women's Christian Temperance Union yesterday that "he'd like to get a gun and do his part in the necessary shooting."



GEN. STOESSEL.

DUKE SILENT; JUST LOOKS WISE

Reported Engagement to Miss Elkins Kept Quiet.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The Duke of Abruzzi, cousin of the King of Italy, who is reported to be engaged to marry Miss Katherine Elkins, sailed for Europe today on the steamer Lusitania. Up to the hour of sailing, the Duke declined to affirm or deny the reported engagement but his demeanor was regarded by the reporters who gathered at the steamship pier as not that of a man who had failed in an important mission.

The Duke was registered as Luigi Sarto. He boarded the steamer early this morning and was accompanied to the dock by an Italian attaché of the legation at Washington and by a secret service man. To the reporters at the dock he said: "I am very sorry that I have no interview to give out, but come and see me at eight o'clock."

Gets Away in Auto.

Attired in a short coat, a slouch hat and carrying a walking stick, he stepped into an automobile near the Italian embassy in this city and made a rapid run to Baltimore. It is believed here that he was accompanied on this trip by Miss Elkins but the persistent refusal of the friends of the principals to this romance to furnish the smallest scrap of information to reporters makes it very difficult to establish the fact.

Woman to Break Her 40-Day Fast

LONG BEACH, March 21.—Miss Etta Priscilla Grove, the Chicago school teacher who has attracted attention because of her long fast, at noon today completed the fortieth day of her abstinence and announced that she would accede to the request of her sister and partake of nourishment this afternoon. In the effort to equal the record of Dr. H. S. Tanner, who fasted forty days in the '80s, Miss Grove's weight was reduced from 123 to 105 pounds, but she declares that she felt no effects from her experience and that she could have continued fasting for a much longer time.

Charges Against Schmitz Dismissed

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—With the recommendation that the extortion charges against Schmitz be investigated by another grand jury, Judge Dunne this morning dismissed the four remaining French restaurant cases against him. Right after the decision of the Supreme Court had been rendered, indictment 305, on which the former mayor was convicted, was dismissed by Judge Dunne, but he preferred to have the four remaining cases remain on his calendar until they should be reached in due course. Accordingly, this morning, on motion of Attorney Frank Drew, they were dismissed.

WORN OUT BY NURSING, SHE GIVES HIM ACID INSTEAD OF MEDICINE

Wife, Suddenly Aroused From Slumbers, Picks Up Wrong Bottle and Administers Fatal Dose to Sick Man.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.—Mistaking a bottle of carbolic acid for the medicine which she was to administer to her husband, Mrs. Margaret Monahan gave him, this morning, a dose of the deadly poison, which resulted in his death three hours later after suffering untold agony. Monahan, who was a rope splicer and lived at Eugene and Anderson streets, had been ill for about a week and the six-year-old daughter of the pair had also been quite sick. Mrs. Monahan has worn herself out with nursing her husband and daughter, and last night retired about 9 o'clock.

"NO COIN, NO COAL," SAYS DEALER TO THE COUNTY

Refuses to Fill Order for Needed Fuel

Unless some way now unknown is found to solve the difficulty, the bunks in the county jail will be chopped up and used as fuel. There was only half a sack of coal left in the jail this morning, and no possibility, because of shortage in the county funds, of getting any more. John C. Rohan, who has the contract for supplying the jail with coal, refused to supply the jail with coal, and said that he was not going to take any more chances to lose money for his coal. He said that he had not been paid for the coal he had sent to the jail, and that he was not going to take any more chances to lose money for his coal. He said that he had not been paid for the coal he had sent to the jail, and that he was not going to take any more chances to lose money for his coal.

NIGHT RIDERS SHOOT AND KILL FARMER IN HIS HOME

Despoilers, at Bay, Murder When Caught

CARLEISLE, Ky., March 21.—A band of night riders early this morning shot and killed Harlan Hedges, a prominent farmer, seven miles northwest of this place. This is the first murder by the night riders in the Bluegrass region of Kentucky.

STABS SWEETHEART; DIVES TO DEATH IN HIS FLIGHT

CHICAGO, March 21.—Plunging into Stony Creek at Blue Island to escape several policemen, after he had stabbed and probably fatally wounded a girl who had flitted him and wedded another man, Nicholas Fortune, 25 years old, was taken with cramps and drowned.

Grand Jury Votes Not to Indict D. E. Collins

At the last meeting of the grand jury the charges made against D. E. Collins, ex-president of the California Bank, were taken up for action. A motion was made that Mr. Collins be indicted on charges of felony.

Angelus Wins City Park Derby

NEW ORLEANS, March 21.—Angelus, Notter up, won the City Park derby this afternoon at City Park track.

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EASTERN EXCURSION RATES

Summer excursion rates to Pacific Coast will be made from 10 eastern territories for coming season. One fare of Sixty Dollars (ten discount) River points "sixty seven cents from St. Louis seanty two fifty from Chicago." June 1 to September 1. Tickets at same rate will be sold from same territories to San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego for battleship fleet celebration. Sale dates April 4th and April 24th to April 26th. For further information apply Southern Pacific Co. 103rd and Franklin sts. Oakland.

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AMONG the well-known Californians who have figured largely in the East this year have been Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Mrs. Victor Metcalf and Miss Perkins.

Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs were hostesses at the big reception given by the notable Colony Club of New York City, the members of which are from the exclusive families of the New York smart set.

The Colony Club entertained in a royal fashion, their guests being men, most of whom are well known in New York.

Mrs. Vanderbilt is going to Palm Beach for the spring days, and Mrs. Oelrichs and her son are planning to spend the summer abroad.

HOSTESSES IN WASHINGTON.

Among the most successful of all the hostesses in Washington this year, has been Mrs. Victor Metcalf, whose home has been the center of many hospitable reunions. The Metcalfs have not the money that many others of the executive circle possess, but they have education, family, good breeding, and above all good sense, and these attributes have carried them safely through many trying situations, and established them very firmly, not only in social favor, but in the affections of their friends.

Secretary Metcalf is a graduate of Yale, and a man who won out in his profession before he tried to be a member of the President's cabinet.

Both Secretary and Mrs. Metcalf have been extremely thoughtful of visiting Californians. They love California, and are specially devoted to their home town, and in the midst of their busy lives they find time for entertaining California friends who may be sojourning in Washington.

Among the guests of honor at Mrs. Metcalf's last cabinet reception were Mrs. Gillett and Mrs. P. E. Bowles.

Mrs. Gillett has worn some very stunning costumes at the receptions given in her honor. One gown is especially handsome of green chiffon velvet, the bodice showing a yoke of pastel lace, and trimmings of gold mesh. The large picture hat carried superb ostrich plumes in light green tones.

Gov. and Mrs. Gillett were entertained by the Fillets and Knowlands, and Miss Fanny Perkins gave a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Gillett. Miss Perkins has had with this season in Washington, her cousin, Miss Fanny Perkins, and the young girls have done a good deal of social entertaining.

Mrs. P. E. Bowles, who has been spending some weeks with the Metcalfs, has thoroughly enjoyed her Washington visit. She has been the guest of honor at many interesting social affairs, and she has made a wonderfully good impression in the exclusive social sets of Washington.

She has had very beautiful gowns, and she has the repose of manner which takes one a long way in Eastern circles. After a brief visit to New York, where Miss Amy Bowles is in school, Mrs. Bowles will return home.

Mrs. Metcalf and Mrs. Bowles were guests at the very elaborate reception

in Washington given last week by the British Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce. There were five hundred guests present representing all the sets of Washington's social life. All the universities about Washington were well represented, and the entire diplomatic corps was present, as were the members of the cabinet, the judiciary, and both houses of Congress. The ball room was notable for the new portraits of King Edward and Queen Alexandra, which were wreathed in smiles. A buffet supper was served from a table richly adorned in the famous George Third plate, which is to be a permanent feature of the embassy furnishing.

Mrs. Metcalf is planning to close her house in Washington earlier than usual this season, and she will leave for the coast the latter part of next week and will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Nicholson.

Mrs. Metcalf is coming earlier than she may be here with her son Victor, who is to undergo an operation at a leading sanatorium across the bay. Victor Metcalf has not been well since an operation for appendicitis some months ago, and he was unable longer to endure the strenuous life demanded by his position in the navy. It is hoped that after this second operation, his health may be completely restored.

GOVERNOR IN NEW YORK.

Governor and Mrs. Gillett recently left Washington for a short stay in New York. They are planning to go south and to spend some days in Florida. They will return to the Pacific Coast by way of the southern route.

ENTERTAINED AT COUNTRY CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stratton entertained this week at a very elaborate dinner given at the Country Club.

The guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Page of Portland, who have been visiting friends in our city for the past two weeks.

The table decorations were exceedingly effective, and the guests at the dinner were all such old friends that it was a thoroughly enjoyable affair.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, Miss Ethel Moore, Mrs. Orestes Pierce, Miss Amy McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, Mr.

and Mrs. Harry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gordon, John W. Parkhurst, Edward Sessions.

COMING OF THE FLEET.

The coming of the great fleet is now of course the all absorbing topic of conversation, and everywhere are plans for the welcome which the men on the fleet deserve.

Perhaps an account of the work done elsewhere might be appropriate just now, for the South American cities have planned ideal schemes of welcome.

Among the schemes might be mentioned that of the Young Men's Christian Association of Rio Janeiro. A large bureau was established at the landing, where the men could get all information as to the places of interest, shops and restaurants, where they could exchange money without loss, where any cheap excursions were organized, where cheap meal tickets could be purchased, and where free stationery was provided. The excellent results were acknowledged by the admiral, who said that the positive enjoyment of the men had greatly been advanced. The plan had the hearty co-operation of the admiral, of the ambassador, and of the Brazilian authorities. It is a striking example of the practical work of the Y. M. C. A. in all parts of the world.

CHARTER DAY AND ITS MEANING.

Charter Day represents one of the most important dates in the University of California calendar. It is to be appropriately celebrated at the University on March twenty-third, and the address of the day is to be given by Doctor Faunce, president of Brown University. The procession across the campus in the morning is always one of the most picturesque features of Charter Day.

President and Mrs. Wheeler always entertain at a large reception in honor of the speaker of the day, and Mrs. Wheeler is usually assisted in receiving by Mrs. Hearst, one of the most able of the regents of the University. This special reception is notable in that it calls together so many distinguished people whom one does not ordinarily meet at the usual social functions of the day.

The alumni of the University, those who have won distinction in many ways are present—there are delightful

class reunions, and class luncheons and dinners are the order of the hour. Charter Day has many phases which make it one of the most interesting dates of the year.

SETTLED IN THEIR HOME.

Doctor and Mrs. Harry Alderson, formerly Cordelia Bishop, are now comfortably established in their own home across the bay, and Doctor Alderson has resumed his practice there. Mrs. Alderson is a most attractive and very pretty young matron, with the most gracious manners possible. She was one of the hostesses at the Home Club luncheon on Thursday.

ENTERTAINED A NOTED WRITER.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott entertained in their East Oakland home a very distinguished guest last week, the famous authoress, Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Mrs. Wilcox and her husband have recently returned from Honolulu, coming up on the steamship Siberia.

Their stay in Oakland was necessarily a short one, but the Scotts did much in the way of entertaining, and there were interesting expeditions in Mr. Scott's big white touring car.

The Scotts are admirable entertainers, and their home one of the most hospitable in the city, so it goes quite without saying that Mrs. Wilcox thoroughly enjoyed her visit to our city.

ADVANCING IN EDUCATION.

The great west is rapidly coming into its own in many ways, notably along educational lines. For now the Northwestern University at Evanston announces a new department, which is attracting the notice of the entire world. It proposes the establishment of a chair, the "Cultivation of Good Taste."

Good taste, of course, can be taught, and the first effort is to be directed to dress. The women students are to be taught to dress tastefully, and that is a good thing to accomplish in a year's course.

And apropos of the new departure, a high authority in the tailoring business has recently declared that the men of the west have much better taste in dress than the New Yorkers. They appreciate variety in style and color.

An eminent French authority has lately issued a word of caution.

"Avoid 'le dernier cri,'" he says. He speaks of the portrait of a wealthy woman taken several years ago, and he shows that the dress is in good style now, because it was in perfect taste then.

If the experiment is a success in the Northwestern University, it will undoubtedly be followed in other institutions of learning throughout the land.

THE FARRELLS ARE TO RECEIVE.

Mrs. John Randolph Farrell and

Miss Irene Farrell have sent cards out for Tuesdays, and they will receive their friends at the home which they have recently established on Clay street in San Francisco.

The Farrells are cousins of Mrs. Egbert Stone, and they returned recently from a long stay on the continent.

Mr. John Farrell is a University of California man who has achieved much success in his chosen profession of mining engineering. He has represented a leading English company in South Africa, having had charge of mines near the famous King Solomon's mines of Ruder Haggard fame.

Miss Farrell is a very charming girl, who has spent many months abroad, and her friends are glad that it is decided that the permanent home of the family is to be in California.

WEDDING OF GREAT INTEREST.

A wedding of interest to many Oakland people will be the wedding set for April of John Drum and Miss Georgia Spieker.

The Drums lived for many years on our side of the bay, and the childhood days of all the children were passed in the old home here on Market street.

Miss Cassie Drum, who married William Geer Hitchcock, of New York, lived in the East for many years, but last winter they came to San Mateo, where they have a beautiful home.

Miss Sara Drum is immensely popular on both sides of the bay.

The wedding of Mr. Drum and Miss Spieker is to take place at the country home of the bride.

The ceremony will take place in the garden, and the wedding breakfast which will follow it, will also be served there. It bids fair to be a romantic and very picturesque wedding.

SOME OF THE NEW HOMES.

Among the interesting new homes on the hills are those of the Herbert Browns and the Melvin C. Chapmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, formerly Florence Sharon, are building a most picturesque home next to the Sharon residence on the Piedmont Heights.

The beautiful new home of the M. C. Chapmans is on Vernon Heights, adjacent to the Frank L. Brown residence. It is one of the most artistic homes in that section of the city, planned with rare taste.

The old home of the Chapmans has been one in which their friends found the heartiest of welcomes, and no home could be more delightful. The finest collection of old china, of rare old silver, of old brasses in the city is in the Chapman home, all telling a story of the homes of one's ancestors in the olden days. But the old homes of the past decade are rapidly being crowded out by the busy march of trade, and one by one the old home life of many households is being re-established on the hills. Mrs. Chapman is a charming, tactful hostess,

sweet, and very generous of heart, and on all sides one hears good wishes for continued prosperity, and for a happy life in the new home.

ILLNESS OF EDWIN MARKHAM.

Mr. Edwin Markham, the poet, who spent so many years in Oakland, and has so many friends here, is seriously ill at his home near New York.

A new volume from Mr. Markham's pen entitled "The Poetry of Jesus" is to be published by the McClure Company in April.

CALIFORNIANS WHO ARE ABROAD.

From abroad come many interesting notes concerning Californians, and among them one reads of the Charlemagne Towers, who have been so immensely popular in the royal circles of Europe.

Last week Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria dined with the Towers. This was the fifth time the Emperor had dined at the American Embassy since Mr. and Mrs. Tower have been there, but the first time the Empress had accepted their hospitality, as it is her custom not to visit the embassies.

She did so in this instance as a special distinction in view of the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Tower will leave Berlin in the summer. Ambassador and Mrs. Tower followed the rule of having as many Americans present as possible to meet the Emperor.

NEW FAD IN THE SMART SET.

The girls in the smart set in Washington are trying a most amusing experiment, and the little fad is finding its way to New York, which means, of course, that it will eventually reach San Francisco. Engagements have been celebrated as we all know by gifts of cups and saucers to the bride-elect, and some of our recent brides have very beautiful and very elaborate collections.

In Washington a leap year custom is being followed this year. A widow begins a collection of cups and saucers for some fair girl, to which eleven maidens must add their offerings, and the result will be a romantic wedding before the year is over.

GETTING READY FOR SUMMER EXODUS.

With the coming of the spring days there are many preparations for the summer exodus, for every one who can plans a change of environment. Immediately after the festivities incident to the arrival of the fleet, many of our well known homes on both sides of the bay will be closed for the summer.

Miss Jennie Crocker has decided to visit England when Mrs. Whitelaw Reid returns. Her grandmother, Mrs. Easton, will remain at Uplands, the beautiful country home of the Crockers, at San Mateo.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martin will spend the summer as guests of the "Peninsula."

Miss Jennie Flood, who has been the guest of her brother at Menlo Park, is going East in a few days, and will

MISS MAY COLBURN

spend the summer on the Atlantic Coast.

The Henry Lunds, formerly Milla Lally, have taken a house in London, and will spend the season there.

The F. M. Smiths always close Arbor Villa in May, and they plan to spend the entire summer at Shelter Island.

The Frank Havens go to Sag Harbor, and they are always there for the Fourth of July holidays. Business men need their vacations more than ever this year, for they have gone through strenuous days.

One reads that there were never in the history of yachting so many valuable yachts on the market. And many of New York's most noted business men will spend their holidays this year in their offices on Wall street.

Mrs. Chabot always leaves as early as she can for the country, for she loves St. Helena, and is never so happy as when she is at her country home there. Doctor and Mrs. Dunn will be her guests part of the summer. Doctor Dunn has been ill, but he is much better now. He is so popular, with so many friends, that the latter will be glad to hear that he has quite recovered from his recent illness.

Mrs. James Moffatt, who is abroad, expects to sail for America early in May. After a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Doubleday, she will return to her home here.

Mrs. Requa, with her little grandchildren, always spends some weeks of the summer at Aena Springs, and later in the year she goes to Del Monte, where she joins her friends, Mrs. A. N. Towne, and the latter's daughter, Mrs. Worden.

The Robert Phelps are now on their way to the Orient, and are at present the guests of friends in Honolulu.

The de Lavegas are among those planning to open their country home in Contra Costa early this year, and Mrs. Edward de Lavegas, who was formerly Delight Woodbury, plans to entertain in a most hospitable fashion many of her young girl friends.

The de Lavegas have a new white steamer in which they make many interesting expeditions.

The Henshaws will, as usual, spend a part of the summer at their big ranch in Mendocino county.

There is a quaint old residence up on the ranch, and it is miles away from the railroad, the typical ranch of California history.

The E. G. Lukens spend a great deal of their time in Siskiyou county, where they have a country home, in the heart of the Siskiyou mountains.

At Brookdale, the Arthur Hollands are developing one of the most picturesque homes in the Santa Cruz mountains. Mrs. Holland is very fond of the country, and she has spent a great deal of time in adding to the attractions of the home at Brookdale.

It is a beautifully picturesque spot on the banks of a lovely brook, with fine trees all around it. Mrs. Holland keeps adding to the land, she always planting flowers and trees, and she has developed a country home so picturesque and artistic that she might well spend the whole year in it.

One can spend an ideal summer in the heart of the Santa Cruz mountains.

Mrs. Howard goes to Brookdale

SOCIAL NEWS of the WEEK



—H. Pierce Smith Photo.

MRS. FREDERICK DICKSON

early in April, and her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wade, spends the entire summer with her.

But the homes in the Santa Cruz mountains are legion, and so full of interest are all of them, that one might write a volume concerning them.

AMONG THE WOMEN'S CLUBS.

News notes from the many women's clubs this week have been of more than the ordinary degree of interest, since the monthly luncheons were all held this week.

Among the interesting meetings were those planning for the annual federation meeting which is to be held in Oakland at the Ebell club-rooms.

It was wisely decided not to hold the meeting on the days originally planned, since these happen to be the days on which the many entertainments for the week will take place.

The women who are to be chairmen of the many necessary committees are Mrs. William A. Schrock, Mrs. Charles J. Woodbury, Miss Eva Powell, Mrs. Edwin Booth, Mrs. L. P. Crane, Mrs. James B. Hume, Mrs. Sara Reamer, Mrs. Victor Robertson. The decorations for the Ebell luncheon carried a color scheme of green, complimentary to good St. Patrick, and there was a much larger attendance than usual at the luncheon. Mrs. George Pardee was the hostess of the day, and she was ably assisted by an interesting receiving party.

The excellent program offered by the Oakland Club called out many compliments, and indeed the able address of Hon. George C. Pardee was most inspiring. He is always so enthusiastic, so thoroughly in earnest, that he makes a deep impression on his hearers. His address to the Oakland Club was well worth while.

At the Oakland Club also the decorations followed a color scheme of green, and the central table showed an artistic arrangement of flowers and ferns, and there were American and Irish flags to add a pleasing note to the dainty arrangements.

An elaborate luncheon was most successfully served under the direction of Mary Hallahan, and among those present were Miss Marietta Milton, Mrs. George Pardee, Mrs. Penniman, Mrs. Joseph Mathews, Mrs. Arthur Holland, Mrs. Edwin Buss, Miss Ethel Moore, Mrs. Mary Brock, Mrs. Cora Jones, the Misses Dunn, Mrs. Oscar Luning.

BUTTERS TO CLOSE ROSELAWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butters are planning to close their country home, Roselawn, for the summer, and they will go abroad. They will be in England for the London season, and are

planning interesting automobile trips on the continent.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Curtiss and Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Adams have spent some delightful weeks at Cannes, and will make a short visit to Paris before returning to America. Mrs. Adams is a very stunning young matron, and she is sure to bring home artistic and picturesque gowns from Paris.

LUNCHEON OF THE HOME CLUB.

The monthly luncheon of the Home Club was set for Thursday, and was a luncheon of unusual interest in many ways. The clubhouse is always most attractive, but never more so than in the early spring days, when the beautiful building seems to stand out against the splendid background of green hills.

Mrs. George Wheaton was the hostess of the day, and on the reception committee which welcomed the guests were Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. Chas. Woodbury, Mrs. E. C. Williams, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. F. E. Wells, Mrs. A. B. Wood, Mrs. Wallace Alexander, Mrs. John Bakewell, Mrs. Franklin Bangs, Mrs. T. F. Barbour, Mrs. Harry Alderson, Mrs. George Newton and Mrs. C. W. Ames.

The decorations were for the most part in tones of yellow, the color scheme carried out in artistic spring-like effect, with sprays of yellow mustard.

Mrs. P. R. Boone presided at the large central table, and she looked exceedingly well. She wore a superb gown in tones of white, with all over trimmings of rare lace.

The guests of honor were Mrs. John F. Swift, and Mrs. Patrick Calhoun. Mrs. Swift is known to most clubwomen, her strong personality and her fine intellectual equipment have made a distinct impression on the club life of the state.

The Calhouns, since coming to San Francisco, have made a great many friends, and Mrs. Calhoun is charming. She has most unaffected manners, and there is a cordial, well-bred friendliness about her that is most fascinating.

Among the guests was Mrs. Livermore, who used to be so much in evidence in the social dates of our city a few years ago.

Mrs. Charles Woodbury presided at one of the tables, entertaining a group of guests in her own bright, happy fashion.

Miss Ethel Moore was another luncheon hostess, most of her guests coming from across the bay.

Among the guests were also Mrs. George Whitney and her daughter, Mrs. Seymour Cunningham. The latter took this opportunity to say goodby to many friends, for she left on the evening train for the East, going to her home in New Jersey.

Among the attractive young girls

at the luncheon were Anita Thomson, Irene Bangs, Martha and Julia Calhoun of San Francisco, and Ruth Woodbury.

Among the effective costumes of the afternoon were those worn by Mrs. T. L. Barker, Mrs. Wallace Alexander, Mrs. Melvin Chapman, Mrs. Edwin Morrison, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. Everts, Mrs. A. A. Moore Sr., Mrs. A. A. Moore Jr., Mrs. Walter Starr, Mrs. J. P. Neville, Mrs. Gordon Stolp, Mrs. Edward Gibson, Mrs. Bryden, Mrs. M. F. Jordan, Mrs. Charles Butters, Miss Grace Sperry, Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. A. D. Thomson.

INFORMAL AFFAIRS TO VARY LENT.

There are a few informal entertainments to vary the monotony of the quiet Lenten days.

Mrs. George Jensen gave a very informal tea in honor of Miss Ruth Knowles, entertaining at the Jensen home by the lake.

It is a very cozy home, and Mrs. Jensen makes her friends most welcome in it.

Only the most intimate friends of the bride-elect were at the tea, and it was a most informal affair.

Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mrs. Everts and Miss Florine Brown assisted the hostess in making the afternoon a success.

WATTS TO LIVE IN OAKLAND.

The William Watts are planning to make their permanent home in Oakland, and Mrs. Watts is sure to prove a most interesting hostess. She is a very pretty young matron and as Olive Middleton was one of the attractive members of the Fortnightly Club.

Mrs. Watts entertained at a charming luncheon given at the Key Route Inn in honor of Miss Knowles and Miss Chabot, whose engagements were announced this year.

Mrs. Watts, list included the friends who have grown up together from childhood, and among those who enjoyed her hospitality were Miss Chabot, Miss Knowles, Miss Alice Knowles, Miss Christie Taft, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Maxwell, Miss Ethel Valentine, Miss Elsie Marwedel, Miss Mona Crellin, Miss Jane Crellin, Miss Edith Selby, Mrs. Irving Lundborg, Mrs. Whipple Hall, Mrs. James K. Moffitt, Mrs. Harry Farr, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Charles T. Hutchison.

WILL ENTERTAIN MISS BARNEY.

Mrs. Newell, who was formerly Miss Margery Craig, is planning to entertain informally for Miss Marion Barney, the talented young actress, who has lately come to Ye Liberty Theater.

Mrs. Newell has asked many of her

friends to a tea which she will give next Friday afternoon at her home in Piedmont.

Mrs. Newell and Miss Barney were school friends together, and the friendship begun in the schoolroom has been kept up, though the girls have lived so many miles apart.

The Craigs are most hospitable, and one is sure always to meet the most delightful people at their home. The tea will be one of the notable social events of next week.

FOLGERS WILL BE HOME SOON.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Folger are expected home next week, having greatly enjoyed an interesting Eastern trip. They have been extensively entertained in Chicago, Philadelphia and New York.

VERY SIMPLE HOME WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Ray Wellman and Mr. William Farley, which took place on Wednesday evening, was marked with much simplicity, according to the wishes of the bride.

The old Wellman home in Fruitvale is an admirable place in which to entertain, and made a fine setting for many attractive wedding pictures. The rooms were charming, with quantities of pink blossoms, and the bridesmaids made an attractive bevy of girls, all very daintily gowned in pink and white.

The bride looked exceedingly well, in a gown of white crepe de chine, set off with a bride's bouquet of lilies of the valley. The maid of honor was Miss Emma Wellman, the bride's sister, who wore a gown of yellow satin, with a large bouquet of jonquills.

George Brodigan, who is a brother of Mrs. E. B. Sanborn, attended the groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. K. McLain, who has been a life-long friend of the family, and only the nearest family friends were present at the wedding.

Among the guests were the Sanborns, the Marwedels, Mrs. Wetherbee, the Grimwoods, the Tafts, the McLeans, the Warren Oineys, the Ransomes, the Moores, the Derbys, the Harmons, and relatives of the bride and groom.

The Farleys are to make their future home at Claremont, where Mr. Farley has built a most attractive home.

VAN SICKLENS GOING EAST.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Sicken and their daughter, Dorothy, are planning to go East in the near future and will spend the summer on the Atlantic Coast.

They have relatives in Burlington, Vt., who have a beautiful home on Lake Champlain. Miss Sophie Van Sicken of Burlington spent a year here, and made many friends, both

in Alameda and San Francisco.

Of course social interest will be concentrated in the arrival of the fleet and in all the entertainment planned for the officers and men.

Everyone will of course have guests for we shall share our honors with our friends, for the coming of the fleet is a historical event in our lives.

We seem to live in the midst of great things—we have lived through a great earthquake, a great fire, and now there is coming to our harbor the greatest fleet in the history of nations.

No wonder there is excitement in the air, and that San Francisco and Oakland bid fair to rise to the occasion, and to give the big fleet the magnificent welcome it deserves.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER.

Miss Cecil Cowles, whose photograph appears today is one of the most attractive of the younger girls in San Francisco society. Although she has not made her formal debut she is known in the society and musical world as possessing exceptional gifts as a pianist.

Miss May Colburn is a San Francisco society girl who is frequently a guest at affairs on this side of the bay.

Miss Sue Nicol is often the guest of Miss Marguerite Butters, visiting here from her home in Stockton.

Miss E. Sheldon is among those who are taking an active interest in the leap year party to be given April 8 by the Deutcher Club.

ENGAGEMENT OF A POPULAR COUPLE.

The engagement of Miss Edith Berry and Lloyd Baldwin which was announced this week has excited the greatest interest and many warm-hearted congratulations. The interest of these young people in each other has been long suspected but for some time Miss Berry's health was precarious. She is now well and blooming and the announced engagement brings every one great satisfaction and delight. Miss Berry is a beautiful, amiable and charming girl. So attractive is she that when she was a semi-invalid and not permitted by her doctors to dance or skate, her chair was always so surrounded by young men who ought to have been dancing attendance elsewhere that her girl friends prayed that Edith Berry might speedily recover so that she could dance and, so, monopolize but one man at a time. Always, through pain and illness, the young girl was as cheerful and vivacious as possible. Miss Berry spent a number of years abroad with her mother and younger sister, Dorothy, who is at Miss Blanchard's school in Santa Barbara. The bride-to-be

lives with her mother, Mrs. Jessie



—Gentle Photo.

MISS CECIL COWLES

Patton Berry, and is one of an attractive family of three children. Mrs. Leonard Chenery is her aunt and Miss Ethel Patton, the wealthy society girl who elected to study trained nursing in the New York hospitals, is another aunt. Her grandmother, Mrs. Patton, lives in New York with her youngest and unmarried daughter. On her father's side Miss Berry is a member of the popular Berry family of San Rafael, the Berry bungalow having been a center of good times in Ross for many years.

Lloyd Baldwin is the only son of Mrs. Lloyd Baldwin, formerly of Oakland and was reared on this side of the bay. He is a graduate of the University of California and the Hastings Law College, a member of Phi Gamma Delta and has as brilliant prospects as any young lawyer at the bar. His father was a very good lawyer and Lloyd Baldwin himself is associated with Donald Campbell in the practice of his profession. His only sister, Grace Baldwin, is engaged to Russell Selfridge and their marriage will probably take place this summer. Lloyd Baldwin has been much sought after, being one of the most eligible of the younger men in society. Most of the young fellows in the dancing set are eligible because they have rich fathers but Lloyd Baldwin has prospects though his own ability, irrespective of any money which he may inherit. Much entertaining in honor of this engaged couple may be expected.

QUIET LENTEN BRIDGE.

Mrs. Barron has given almost the only large bridge party which Lent has seen and hers was in honor of a visitor. Mrs. Sewall Dolliver also gave a Lenten bridge, hers also being in honor of a visitor. Dolliver's sister, Mrs. Walter Newhall of Los Angeles, being the honored guest. Now Mrs. Newhall has returned to Los Angeles taking with her Miss Marion Newhall who is being the motif of much entertaining in the Southern city where the season is very late this year and where Lent is not as much observed as in a city which has such a gay winter as San Francisco. Miss Newhall has been the fete guest at a round of luncheons, bridges, dinners and teas.

Except for these two parties the bridge playing which still goes on every day in San Francisco is strictly sub rosa and everyone is pledged to secrecy. Usually there is but one table, at most two, and after the game there is a quiet cup of tea at which one or two drop in. Often there is no prize at all, the guests playing for "points" or, where there are conscientious scruples against this, they play for love of the game. Almost every informal little dinner is followed by a bridge game, so there is little danger of society losing its skill before the summer resorts bring their endless round of bridge.

ATTRACTIONS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

The coming of Lent always means an exodus of San Franciscans and

Oaklanders to Southern California. This year there was the polo tournament to call lovers of the exciting game to Coronado and thither immediately after Ash Wednesday went Mrs. William Irwin, Miss Helene Irwin, Walter Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sador Tobin, Oille and young Joe Tobin, the Misses de Young and Mrs. M. H. de Young. They have all been at Coronado for two weeks.

Many have gone to Santa Barbara for these beautiful spring days and many more have engaged rooms there for April. Among the April contingent will be Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens and Captain and Mrs. Barneson.

Society never really rests—it only changes. It does the same things all the year round but under different conditions. Many have already engaged their rooms at San Rafael for the summer for this is a popular resort with those whose husbands wish to travel back and forth all summer. One really gets greater change of climate between San Francisco and San Rafael than between San Francisco and any near-by place around the bay, for the towns in San Mateo county have the same summer climate as San Francisco—windy and foggy. Among those who will spend next summer at the Hotel Rafael are they did last are Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas who have spent the winter at the St. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. J. Parker Currier and Miss Gwin. Miss Gwin has spent the season with her relatives, the Maynards, and at the Hotel Knickerbocker. The Curriers have wintered at the Fairmont.

LUNINGS GIVE AN AUTO PICNIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Luning gave an auto picnic a few days ago at their country place near San Jose. The trip was made in Mr. Luning's large tourist car. Lunch was spread under the pines at the delightful country home. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Connors, Miss Dempsey, besides the host and hostess. Mr. Luning is known as one of the best automobilists in Alameda county. He always runs his own car.

DR. ROWE GIVES THEATER PARTY.

Dr. Charles H. Rowe gave a pleasant theater party during the week at Ye Liberty Theater, after which the guests enjoyed a repast. Among those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. Anita Thomson and Dr. and Mrs. Rowe. Dr. Rowe is devoting much time to surgery these days. He is also the lecturer at Fidelity Hospital.

HAVE TAKEN A HOUSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herrick who have spent the winter at the Fairmont have taken a house in San Francisco and will henceforward keep house. They have also adopted a baby girl, the child of an intimate friend of Mrs. Herrick. The Herricks are devoted to children and animals. They have a large number of delightful dogs and having no children of their own have adopted one to raise as theirs. Mrs. Herrick is a charming and beautiful woman with prematurely

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The Trouble at Stanford.

We apprehend that the trouble at Stanford University is not as serious as would appear from the reports in some of the newspapers, nevertheless it is sufficiently serious to excite thoughtful inquiry. A number of internecine disturbances in the faculty and student body in the past suggests that something is radically wrong at Palo Alto. A succession of such incidents as have drawn unfavorable attention to Stanford during the last half dozen years could not occur in a well-ordered, well-governed institution. Nearly three hundred students could not be in open revolt against those in authority if a sense of injustice did not bear strongly on the minds of the student body.

It may be that ill-considered and untactful methods are chiefly responsible for the present trouble, which may also be due in part to the rebellious and insurrectionary spirit that seems all too pervasive at the present time. But allowing for all this, one must inevitably conclude that there is a deeper cause for the friction continually arising at Palo Alto. There is either unfair dealing or some reason to suspect unfair dealing. Perhaps there has been too much small politics and too little regard for sincerity in the governing body.

However, it must be conceded that the efforts of the faculty to suppress intemperance are entirely commendable, even if the methods adopted are lacking in tact. While respect for personal liberty is to be encouraged, the boozing habit, which has become all too common at Berkeley as well as Palo Alto, should be sternly suppressed. Indulgence in alcoholic stimulants is not only pernicious in its effects on mind and body, but it breeds a spirit of insubordination and prompts resistance to constituted authority. It is at war with orderly rule and steady habits. It not only interferes with the courses of study, but generates discontent and incontinent desires. Still there is this much to be said about the matter:

The liquor habit should be put down, and can be put down, without driving a large proportion of the undergraduates from the university or inflicting rankling wounds on their manly pride. And thus we get back to the proposition that there is a self-evident absence of sympathy and cordial understanding between faculty and student body.

Youth is prone to be passionate and ebullient; it is hasty in its judgments and quick in its resentments, and impatient of the restraints of authority. But, on the other hand, the natural sense of justice is strong in the young, and it responds with warmth and enthusiasm to sympathetic appeals. The sense of right is there, and only needs to be touched to bring it out and array it on the side of morality and order. If pricked unjustly or with the rudeness of tyranny it runs readily to riot and anger. Thus a good man may by harshness and incidental injustice mar a good cause and distort splendid ideals till they rally in defense of what is inherently vicious and ignoble. Perhaps something of this sort has occurred at Stanford. Possibly the war against the drinking habit has been too despotic and uncompromising to achieve the results it was intended to accomplish and which should be achieved. We do not know. It is well, however, to keep in mind that the aim in view is to discourage intemperance and encourage self-discipline and self-restraint. Rigid discipline in government fails of its object if it inspires a feeling of oppression and a loathing for the object it is intended to serve. To be respected, authority must be worthy of respect.

The sentencing of John R. Walsh, the dethroned Chicago railroad magnate, to jail for five years ought to stop the clamor about the government not punishing crime committed by "high up" people in "high places." The government did send Burton to prison even though he was an United States Senator. It pursued Gaynor and Green through all the maze of international law and it is still at work.

This Mayor Gets in Wrong.

The Mayor of Cincinnati, among his other troubles, is very likely to become extremely unpopular over the fight he is waging against permitting women to run automobiles. He takes the very broad ground that running automobiles is not their "proper sphere." It is there that he opens his armor for attack.

The hand that rocks the cradles, manipulates the sewing machine and regulates the gas range can certainly manipulate the steering gear of an automobile. And if that is not enough argument, the hand that spans the family as gracefully and diligently from duty can certainly protect the same loved ones by the exercise of caution and safety in running an automobile. It is this caution which would keep a woman within the bounds of safety in handling a car rather than to depend upon the "honk honk" of a warning horn and the agility of a pedestrian on crowded corners.

Mr. Mayor, you have cut off a bigger piece of pie than you can possibly eat.

A woman's sphere is everywhere and everything, all the time wherever she is—and that means everything that it implies.

Governor Johnson seems to be still undecided as to whether he will make the race against Bryan. Yet his private secretary is engaging headquarters in several strategic Eastern States, and his press agents are at work.

The only defense that the Denver anarchist can put forth is that he was suffering from "larvel insanity." Result of too much bug juice.

In St. Louis they are talking of making the city prohibition. And what's to become of the stuff that made that burg famous?

It would just about kill the machinites who are fighting Bryan to see him elected. A good reason for their antagonism.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

As soon as people have secured the necessities of life they begin to want some of the luxuries. —Chicago Record-Herald.

A politician always wants what the people want when he finds out they are going to have it. —Galveston News.

The precaution said to be taken by many automobilists of carrying a \$100 bill to be used as bail money in case of arrest for over-speeding is given as accounting for the withdrawal of a very large amount of currency from circulation. Why not make it a rule to be always careful to observe the law? —New York World.

Senator Lodge wants to know how we could go farther toward

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PARROT: Polly wants a cracker.

TRAINER: Say it then.

PARROT: Katy didn't.

TRAINER: Say Katy did.

PARROT: No, Katy didn't.

TRAINER: You're a liar! Katy did. And you don't get your cracker.

socialism than to guarantee bank deposits. That question suggests another, which is: How can the Senator endure so well as he has and does that equally large measure of "socialistic" policy involved in the government's system of national bank prohibitions and examinations, which are all for the protection of the depositors? The guarantee plan only seeks to make effective what the government already pretends to do. If the one thing is "socialism," then the other is an active pretension to socialism. —Springfield Republican.

JUDGE CONFIRMS
BIG REALTY DEAL

Sale Shows Property Around the Bankers' Hotel in Great Demand.

One of the largest realty transactions which have been consummated in the past month, was that which was confirmed yesterday by Judge Harris in the Superior Court, it being the sale of the Welsh Presbyterian Church property, located on Harrison street, near Thirtieth, opposite the Bankers' hotel. The purchaser of the property is F. P. Porter, the eighth street real estate broker. The sale proved that property in the vicinity of the Bankers' hotel is much in demand and that from now on all land in this neighborhood will be much sought after.

Realty dealers declare that they have had many inquiries about property in this neighborhood and that in the near future many important sales will be made.

DEBATE GOVERNMENT
CONTROL OF COAL

A debate on the question, "Resolved, That it is for the best interests of the people for the government to own and control the coal mines," was held by the seventh grade of the Lincoln grammar school, in charge of Miss E. Frank. The debaters were: Affirmative—Harold Keney, Sayer Snook and H. William Weber, negative—Michael Turran, William Collins and Lloyd Simon. Good arguments were presented on both sides, the affirmative winning.

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THE SLANDERING OF THE COURT.

The judges of our Supreme Court are men of great patience. Apparently they are bearing without the slightest emotion the wilful misrepresentation through which they are being held up to derision and execration. Those that apprehend the mendacity and utter baseness of the assaults which have been made on the court, and that have been shocked and enraged not so much by unjust criticism as by comment so boldly unscrupulous as to be transparent in its insincerity, are clamorous for the punishment of the vicious slanderers. But the judges upon whom the wrong has been inflicted have betrayed no feeling of resentment. They must realize, however, that it is not wise to let the dignity of the court take care of itself in emergencies of the character of the one which has arisen. The contempt that has been shown is not of the character of that which is sometimes exhibited in moments of passion and by impetuous persons under misapprehension or under stress of imaginary wrong or from ignorance of the proprieties. It has been wantonly insinuated that the judges deliberately distorted the law in furtherance of a corrupt design. This is precisely and clearly the meaning which was sought to be conveyed. This is an accusation that presents an especially hideous aspect when we view it as a wanton slander, and that such it is we are convinced. There can be no misapprehension existing in the minds of the men behind the graft prosecution with respect to the integrity of the Supreme Court. If that tribunal sympathized with Schmitz and Ruef and would not scruple at perversion of the law it would have put an end to the whole graft prosecution when the question of the legality of the grand jury was under consideration. If flaws could be found in the decision which excites the wrath of partisan critics, those flaws would be pointed out and it would be unnecessary to ground abuse in misrepresentation. It is obvious, therefore, from the tactics being pursued that the critics are conscious of the soundness of the opinion which they deride. And so we have a luminous spectacle—that of the great agents of morality, who are passionately devoted to the purification of civic affairs and who demand the confidence of the community engaged in what appears to be a foul conspiracy to destroy public confidence in the administration of justice; a conspiracy to inflame the public mind and eventually to achieve by intimidation the consummation upon which has been brought to bear almost every species of deception and rascality. This is our conception of the organized effort to disparage the Supreme Court. It is our conception because we think it incredible that men of intelligence believe that Chief Justice Beatty and his associates and the judges of the Court of Appeal wilfully perverted the law to free Ruef. And such being our conception we are appalled at the brutality which strives to defile reputations earned by years of devotion to principle and years of obedience to conscience.—Town Talk.

MISS FULTON'S GOOD LUCK.

Miss Donna Fulton of San Francisco, who went to New York a year ago to engage in art work, sailed for Europe on February 28, to be gone six months. Miss Fulton went as the guest of Mrs. Lydia White of San Francisco, who will pay all of the artist's expenses. Miss Fulton had only two days in which to prepare for her voyage, as the invitation was extended after Mrs. White reached New York. Miss Fulton,

who has been jointly occupying a studio with Miss Laura Foster, another San Francisco artist, has been wonderfully successful in the metropolis, especially in her drawings of fashion. Vogue and other leading publications of this character have used many of her drawings. While in Europe she will contribute fashion letters with illustration to the New York magazines. Her itinerary will include France, Germany and England.—The Wasp.

A BACHELOR WHOM THE WOMEN APPROVE.

Gayle Anderton, who has become one of the most popular bachelors in society this past winter, has demonstrated that all the eligible society men are not indifferent and careless of the attention paid them and absolutely unwilling to repay their social obligations. Mr. Anderton is a shining example of the wealthy young bachelors who are willing to give their women and girl friends a good time in return for the courtesies extended them, and he has done almost more than his share of entertaining.

Mr. Anderton dwells in the picturesque house built by Lloyd Osbourne, adjacent to Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson's home at Hyde and Chestnut streets. The house is kept by Mrs. Lloyd Osbourne, who is separated from her novelist husband, and Royden Williamson, Gayle Anderton and one or two other men have rooms there. Mr. Anderton gave a delightful Sunday afternoon tea about Christmas time and last Wednesday evening was host at a very jolly bridge party. There were six or eight tables. A prominent novelist, by the way, a woman, was so taken with Mr. Anderton's name, which she heard for the first time during a recent visit to San Francisco, that she has decided to name her next hero after him.—The Wasp.

A CLUB FAVORITE IN HOSPITAL.

"Billy" Smith, who recently covered himself with glory in "Trelawney of the Wells," has been lying in a very critical condition at the Adler Sanatorium, where he was operated on for appendicitis. He was hurried from the Holluschickie Club, where he lives, to the hospital and it is now several days since the operation. It was a very bad case, say the surgeons in charge, and at one time it was feared poor "Billy" would never survive the operation. The appendix broke and the poison penetrated the system. The news of her son's serious condition was wired Mrs. Smith, who was visiting in Texas, and she is now hurrying homeward.—The Wasp.

GETTING AT THE TRUTH.

The Eastern press has not yet been supplied by the Associated Press with accurate information on the subject of the decision of our Court of Appeal and the Supreme Court in the Schmitz case, but the New York Sun has been doing some pretty accurate conjecturing. Indeed, it comes nearer the truth than do the subsidized local newspapers, which know the facts and deliberately distort them. In an editorial, the Sun of the 12th inst., says that the affirmation of the Court of Appeal's decision by the highest tribunal in the state "indicates that the moral responsibility for the failure of the prosecution rests not upon the judges, but is due rather to some defect in the law itself or to a lack of proper discrimination on the part of the prosecuting officers in the course which they adopted to punish the wrong-doers." It can hardly be supposed that all the Appellate Judges who reviewed this case are wrong in the con-

struction which they have put upon the statute; the more reasonable assumption is that the operation of the wrong statute was invoked against the offenders. It has often happened in great lawsuits growing out of public wrongs, whether the actions have been criminal or civil, that the lack of wisdom in the method of prosecution has led to defeat.

The Sun points out incidentally that the suit brought in New York to recover the money stolen by the Tweed ring was defeated because of the ignorance of the attorney for the city. "Though the decision was generally deprecated at the time," says the Sun, "and was roundly denounced in some quarters, yet no competent legal critic can be found at the present day who would question its correctness. The probability is that the decision of the Supreme Court of California in these so-called graft cases is an equally correct exposition of the law of that State."

The Sun is quite correct in assuming that responsibility for the failure of the prosecution in the Schmitz case rests not upon the judges. It rests entirely upon the blundering prosecutors. Evidently the Sun has not yet been informed of the heavy responsibility that rests on the trial judge, who was very fortunate in not having the matter of his rulings submitted to the Supreme Court. But his rulings are of record and they will be preserved in the California Reports, for they were discussed by the Court of Appeal. The perpetuation of his infamy is assured.—Town Talk.

THE BIRD OF JOY.

Stork's wings are heard flapping over the John Taylor household and the long-legged bird is expected shortly to visit the former Miss Daisy Van Ness. The Taylors, who were married in Europe a year and a half ago, are at present living in San Francisco and are the guests of Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Van Ness, at their Octavia street home. Mr. Taylor is a brother of Mrs. Horace Pillsbury and comes of a distinguished Boston family. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, have quite recently been visiting in this city and were guests of honor at some ultra-smart functions at the Fairmont.

The Taylors are very wealthy and quite of the Vere de Vere order, being members of the most exclusive Back Bay society. The family have not always quite approved of John's ways, as he loved baseball and the ponies, and I hear it was a great joy to them when he married the pretty San Francisco society girl, whom he met while she was traveling abroad with her mother. It was a case of love at first sight with the Boston man and the California girl. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor expect to make their home in California and are considering building a bungalow near the Pillsbury meadow at San Mateo.—The Wasp.

SPOILS A ROMANCE.

The announcement that Miss Genevieve Walker, Mrs. Martin's most vivacious and attractive young relative, who created no little sensation here early this winter, and was most expeditiously hurried off to her Philadelphia home after several lively set-to's with her step-grandmother, has taken up kindergarten work, seems to effectually put an end to the rumors that Miss Walker would probably return here shortly to bestow her hand upon the wealthy young bachelor who was her ardent suitor.

The dashing Genevieve with her air of insouciance and diablerie,

had adorners by the score in San Francisco, but the rich young man whose wealthy mamma has gotten her business affairs into a sad tangle by some unfortunate building contracts, seems to have the inside track, and friends of both young people have been hoping for an announcement shortly.—The Wasp.

PRINCES IN DISGUISE.

It is announced also that the ladies of the California Club will "give a monster dance" for the entertainment of the "jacksies," as the newspapers call the sailors of the fleet. The announcement is made with a certain tone of condescension, the assurance being that "representatives of our best society will dance with the sailors, without distinction." Why not? The sailors of the fleet are "respectable," if not quite as "exclusive" as some of the women who will dance with them.

Some of the sailors will know "the best form" as familiarly as most of our "smart set"; others will have practical experience with "the appurtenance of welcome" and the "fashion and ceremony" of those lands and peoples from whom we have derived our flattering art of imitation. I hope, for the sake of those who think they are performing a gratuitous act of prevenience, that none of the ultra exclusives who may consent to dance with the sailors, will betray her complaisance in the presence of a "jacksie" Beau Brummel incognito or a Ned Greenway masquerading as suppressed cotillionist of the guineak. Take warning in time, ladies—some of the "first families" may be represented in the anchor watch.—Town Talk.

SHOULD BE DISCIPLINED.

Seriously speaking, the Bar Association, if it were a Bar Association, instead of a mere name, would before this have taken Mr. Heney and Judge Dunne and Judge Dooling in hand. It would be quite proper to ask them what they mean by defaming the higher courts of this State by offensive remarks delivered from the bench. Criticisms of courts are perfectly proper, when confined within certain lines and indulged in by the press and the public. Judges and District Attorneys are, however, sworn officers of the courts, and so their adverse criticisms of their superiors is as improper as that of a captain who would use the parade ground for a public harangue to the garrison, denouncing the commander-in-chief and calling him a rascal and a poltroon because he did not help the irate warrior to a colonelcy.

It is within the province of Supreme Courts to bring such offenders very quickly to the bar and punish them, but of course, the higher Justices naturally are averse to such a proceeding, for in our country, freedom of speech is held so sacred that all kinds of irresponsible people are allowed to convert freedom into license.—The Wasp.

THE SEED OF A BIG RAILROAD FEUD.

The recent stories in the local prints to the effect that Harriman and Gould had buried the hatchet under the dispute for possession of the terminals on Oakland's water front and are now blood-brothers in all tariff traction and transportation questions proves to be one of the usual railroad canards. Harriman and Gould may have ostensibly patched up a truce over the Oakland water front question, because thereby each may be saved not only a deal of money in litigation, but facts might have developed in the hearing of the controversy, which

would have furnished dangerous leaders in these parlous days to a super-inquisitive Interstate Commerce Commission.

Not only were the hatchets not buried, but smoke signals are rising all along the western railroad horizon betraying the fact that war parties are out raiding unprotected points. Anyone familiar with Harriman's character knows he is not the man to be publicly jabbed with a knife in his pet railroad rib and quietly forget the occurrence because he was handed a bunch of subsidiary bonds with which to poultice the painful wound. In inner railroad circles Gould is credited with once leaving an important Harriman board meeting and making a big coup in purchasing the control in the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad. Harriman, who in the meeting had shown a sign of contemplating the same purchase, arrived on the scene the fraction of an hour too late. What he said of Gould's action at the time is still regarded as a piece of classical expression in fervid language.—Town Talk.

MR. HENEY'S RETORT SERIOUS.

Among the legitimate amusements vouchsafed to the students at the State University last week was a long speech by the Hon. Francis J. Heney. Mr. Heney's speech was reported in the daily newspapers among the other gossip of college frivolities—briefly, of course, as the oration was more in tune with the liberal educational scheme of the institution than a new original farce by David Levy, or a boxing bout by professional pugilists in the palestra of the Pelly Duceans.

The address of the famous graft prosecutor was a humorous assault upon the humorists who have been making sport for the multitude at the expense of the graft prosecution. It was a sort of special plea on behalf of everybody concerned in the travesty now being enacted in the courts over which Judge Dunne and Judge Lawlor exercise temporary authority subject at all times to revision and reversal by a sane Appellate Court and a conservative tribunal of last resort.

Mr. Heney was seemingly distressed by the flippant manner in which the protagonists of the graft prosecution are being lampooned by an artist who daily pictures incidents in the career of one A. Mutt, a race track plunger. It was plain that Mr. Heney resented the artist's graphic jesting and that he chafed under the necessity of refraining from including the jeering cartoonist in his prosecution budget. Therein lay the humor of Mr. Heney's otherwise somewhat stale and unprofitable harangue. Whether the student audience appreciated the joke or not, it is certain that the rest of the community held its sides with laughter.

As Mr. Heney's learned pal, District Attorney Langdon, a classical scholar of no mean ability, can testify from his profound knowledge of authoritative precedent, the advocate who attempts to combat ridicule with the weapons of debate loses his cause amid the loud laughter of the groundlings. Evidently Mr. Heney has no sense of humor in himself, but he is a source of humor and possesses in the highest degree the ability to provoke the gaiety of the nation.—Town Talk.

WHY DIDN'T HE SENTENCE RUEF?

Besides reading lectures to his superiors on the Appellate and Supreme benches, Judge Dunne, by inference, accused Rabbis Nie and Kaplan of "wilful and vicious falsehood." Moreover, he suddenly developed, after ten

months' delay, a burning desire to sentence Ruef to the penitentiary. Doubtless this belated desire to punish Ruef "for the maximum time provided by law," was meant to be a positive demonstration that Judge Dunne had never entered into any secret agreement with the prosecution to let Ruef go free, and another defiant challenge to the rabbis. But the context of Judge Dunne's remarks reveals that it was the action of the Supreme Court in "coming to Ruef's relief" which had so exasperated the Judge as to make him desire to sentence Ruef "for the maximum term."

Ruef pleaded guilty May 15, 1907, and until the decision of the Appellate Court was rendered January 9, 1908, Judge Dunne, by motion of the prosecution, postponed the sentencing of Ruef every two weeks. There is apparently at hand no other explanation for this perpetual postponement than that Judge Dunne had entered into a secret agreement with the prosecution concerning Ruef's sentence. No other explanation has been offered.—News Letter.

THE IMPOTENCY OF HENEY.

Whether the Hon. Francis J. Heney is more absurd than his devotees' lesser ravings and railings are less offensive than ludicrous; whether a humbug can convert himself into a believer in his own cant—these are problems that have ceased to be of interest now that a once terrifying hysteria has become innocuously attenuated. Mr. Heney is now floundering in a serbian bog of his own creation and his efforts to extricate himself serve but to plunge him deeper. His devotees who once looked for the fruition of deep plans of latent and searching sagacity, for the hardy triumphs of a bold and imperious will are having their delusions dissipated.

Public opinion changes with the days, and the reputation of a hero is at the mercy of their variations. Though I have never been a hero I have sufficient imagination to conceive the emotions of the hero whose bubble reputation has been pricked, and conceiving them, my pity is stirred. It is with sadness that I ponder the plight of the Hon. Francis J. Heney as revealed by himself in Berkeley and it gives me no satisfaction to chide him for his unfortunate self-revelation.

Nay, I am inclined to censure the carping, malevolent critics who censure him for the tone of his address. Mr. Heney was not at all abnormal on that occasion. He always has been partial to the diction of the deadfall, and would be inarticulate were he to deny himself the use of the fishy vocabulary. Artistic billingsgate may be made as picturesque as a brass band in uniform, and by persistent cultivation of it Heney may yet impart color to his utterances, and by them provoke some thing more than a sublime indifference in the objects of his wrath.—Town Talk.

LET THERE BE LIGHT.

The more light that is thrown on this deed of darkness, the more certain becomes the conviction as to who has told the truth and who has lied. A careful reading of William J. Burns' affidavit will suggest that Spreckels' privately owned detective has been selected as a scape-goat for the sins of the prosecution—that the burden of such promises, beyond the contract of immunity itself, as were made to Ruef and the rabbis, is to be laid on his shoulders. Throughout Burns' affidavit, the phrase constantly occurs that Ruef and his representatives were assured that he would be treated "the same as the Supervisors."

Burns, who on the witness stand in the Tevis case this week, swore that he was "authorized to conduct the graft investigation under a yearly wage which was paid to him by Rudolph Spreckels," at the outset of his affidavit admits that he assured Ruef that "affiant personally would recommend to the District Attorney that if Ruef would tell the whole truth concerning all of the matters into which he had been involved in connection with the graft situation in San Francisco and aid the prosecution in every way he could, and would furnish evidence that would be corroborated and bring about a conviction of the persons known as the 'higher ups,' affiant felt satisfied that he could induce the prosecution to grant immunity." Burns also swears: "I told Gallagher that I had already informed Ruef that if he would do this (make a full confession) I would be in favor of treating Ruef the same as the Supervisors."—News Letter.

THE PROVINCES ARE WATCHFUL.

The country press is observing closely this degradation of the Superior Court of San Francisco by the collusive suit of Older versus Older and other ramifications of the thoroughly discreditable graft prosecution. The Stockton Mail, which is one of the best known and strongest of provincial newspapers, gives Mr. Langdon the credit of being an honest man, but a weak one. The Mail thinks that Mr. Langdon gave his permission to Editor Older to arrest himself and try himself and defend himself and to call in Judge Dooling to supervise the job "without thought of consequences." Perhaps. When one considers carefully all that Mr. Langdon has done since he bobbed up for every office in the State, to which he could get a nomination, any conjecture as to his motives is admissible.—The Wasp.

THE SAME AS THE SUPERVISORS.

It is transparent from the Burns affidavit that the only price put on Ruef's complete immunity, upon the promise that he would be treated "the same as the Supervisors"—was "his information which would bring about the conviction of those 'higher up.' Here, it seems, occurred the parting of the ways between Ruef and the prosecution.—News Letter.

ANENT LEG-PULLING, ETC.

The Stockton Mail thinks also that Mr. Langdon is "having his leg pulled," but in this respect our esteemed contemporary of the Slough City is at variance with Brother Dargie of the Oakland and San Francisco TRIBUNE, because our hold Athenian contemporary on the other side of the ferry declares that it is Rudolph Spreckels whose underpinning is being elongated in a most masterly manner.

The conclusion of the Stockton Mail's estimate of Mr. Langdon's intellectual qualifications, is that "he has not sense enough to go in when it rains." As that might be a matter of scientific determination, depending somewhat upon the heaviness of the rainfall, we should prefer to leave the decision to some competent authority connected with the weather bureau.

Another statement of the Stockton Mail incorporated in the heading of the interesting article on Mr. Langdon's alleged simplicity, is that "The Bulletin's case hurts the graft prosecution." Hurt is hardly the word. If a man fell from the top of a twenty-seven story building and landed on his head on the hard cobblestones you would scarcely describe his condition by saying that he was just hurt.—The Wasp.

'Anarchy, Its Cause and Cure'—Grace M. E. Church

Churchmen to Organize

FEDERATION OF CHURCHES

Monday Night at First M. E. Church

The Liquor Traffic --From an Economic Standpoint

24th Ave.
M. E. Church

'The Day of Opportunity' in Oakland--First Congregational.

All the ministers of this city are interested in a meeting which has been called for next Monday night at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist Church, Fourteenth and Clay streets. The purpose of this meeting is the organization of the Federation of Churches in this city.

A committee will submit a constitution which will be considered by those present. Each minister in the city is urged by those interested in the organization to attend with one layman for each two hundred members in his congregation.

Among the interesting topics which will be taken up tomorrow in the pulpits of various churches in this city are the following: "The Liquor Traffic From an Economic Standpoint," at the Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Church at 11 a. m.; "The Day of Opportunity in Oakland," at 11 a. m., and the "Man Out of Work," at 7:30 p. m., at the First Congregational Church; Congregational Church, Twelfth and Clay streets; The Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor; 11 a. m.; "The Day of Opportunity in Oakland."



PHILLIP HALL, TENOR AT BERKELEY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

7:30 p. m., "The Man Out of Work." The Rev. Raymond C. Brooks, pastor; 11 a. m., "The Day of Opportunity in Oakland," an anniversary sermon; 7:30 p. m., "A Man's Religion." A special musical service. Music from the Plymouth Congregational Church, Howe.

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MRS. R. R. JAMES, CONTRALTO SOLOIST AT THE MELROSE BAPTIST CHURCH.

street, near Moss avenue.—The Rev. Albert W. Palmer, pastor; 11 a. m., "God's School," 7:45 p. m., "A Question That Jesus Answered, Why Do Your Disciples Break the Sabbath?"

Professor George D. Claster of the Pacific Theological Seminary will give a series of addresses on "Four Crises in the Life of Jesus" at Plymouth Church on the last four Wednesday evenings in Lent, beginning this Wednesday evening. The subjects for the courses will be: "The Temptation," April 1; "The Garden of Gethsemane," April 8; "The Trial," April 15; "The Crucifixion," April 22. The public is cordially invited.

Fourth Congregational Church.—The Rev. Frederick H. Bear, pastor. Morning, "A Great Awakening." Evening, "A Saved City." The North Congregational Church of Berkeley, under the direction of the Rev. Henry Kendall Booth, will be as follows:

Sunday morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; Junior Endeavor, 4 p. m.; Intermediate Endeavor, 5:15 p. m.; Senior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; Wednesday mid-week service, 7:45 p. m. Philip Hall is the leading tenor in the choir and Miss Ruth Baker soprano soloist.

Second Congregational Church, corner Perilla and Tenth streets.—The Rev. Griffith Griffiths, pastor. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. The Rev. E. E. Griffiths, pastor. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Powers That Be." Special vocal solo at the evening service.

Lutheran—German Evangelical Lutheran Trinity Church, corner Seventeenth and East Fifteenth streets.—The Rev. H. H. Hagerott, pastor. Service every Sunday morning, 10:30 o'clock, and Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Lecture, "The Way of the Cross," at 7:45 o'clock. Next Sunday, celebration of congregation's fifth anniversary. A special morning and evening service.

St. Paul's English Evangelical Lutheran Church, Thirty-second and Linden streets.—The Rev. S. B. Husted, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; service, 11 a. m.; Masonic Hall, Fruitvale—Sunday school every Sunday, 2:30 p. m. Service first and third Sundays of month, 3:30 p. m. First English Lutheran Church, Sixteenth and Grove streets.—The Rev. Oscar H. Gruver, pastor. Morning, "The Conflict of the Kingdoms." Evening, "Sin's Start and Stop."

Athens avenue Norwegian, 823 Athens avenue, near San Pablo and Twenty-fifth street, Rev. M. A. Christensen, pastor. Morning service, 11 a. m. In the evening a lecture on "The Lord's Supper."

Zion's German Lutheran Church, corner Twelfth and Myrtle streets.—The Rev. J. H. Theiss, pastor. At 10:45 a. m., "Christians Followers of God," evening service, 7:30 p. m. Lecture, sermon by the Rev. M. Lieke of San Francisco.

M. E. Churches.—Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Church.—The Rev. E. E. Wright, pastor, will speak at morning and evening service. The theme at 11 a. m. will be, "The Liquor Traffic From an Economic Standpoint." At 7:30 p. m., "Character Versus Cash," will be considered. Sunday school meets at 9:30 a. m. and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. A cordial welcome.

Norwegian Danish, M. E. Church, 574 Twentieth street, near San Pablo avenue.—The Rev. E. J. Lundgaard, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Franching, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject for morning service, "God's Picture of a Sinner," and for the evening, "The Way Out." Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Young People's meeting Thursday evenings.

Eighth Avenue Church (Methodist Episcopal). Eighth avenue and East Seventeenth street.—The Rev. Leon L. Loofbourn, minister. Lecture, "The Church and Social and Religious Reformers," 7:30 o'clock, evening service, "Belief and Life. What Influence Do the 'I Believe' Have on the Way I Live?"

Grace M. E. Church, Thirty-fourth and Market streets.—The Rev. John M. Berry, pastor. Services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; morning subject, "Anarchy, Its Cause and Cure." Evening subject, "The Church Should Help the Immigrant and the Poor as a School of Morals."

First Methodist Church.—The pastor will preach, 11 a. m., "A Spiritual Surplus." 7:30 p. m., "The Market Value of an Excuse." 3:45 p. m., meeting for men only.

Heath lecture.—At the M. E. Church, Point Richmond, Monday night, March 23, Dr. Baubour of Oakland will, by request, deliver his lecture on "Faithful Living." Free, and all are invited.

Centennial M. E. Church, Ninth and Chester streets—Regular services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. In the morning Rev. G. L. Tufts will speak on "Sabbath Legislation." In the evening the pastor, Rev. G. M. Richmond, will deliver the fourth number of the series now being given at the church, entitled "Why Don't Men Go to Church—Can You Tell?" Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

Spiritual.—Test and developing meeting will be held in the First Spiritual Church on Athens avenue, near San Pablo avenue, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, conducted by Dr. R. Stitt. Lecture at 7:30 p. m. by C. W. Shaw, followed by Church Music, Rev. J. O. Duncan, pastor. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. "Have You Registered in Heaven?"

'Meaning of the Current Wave of Reform,' First Curistian.

Sunday night at 7:30, "A Birthright Kept Inviolable" by messages from well-known mediums. All are welcome.

Episcopal.—St. John's Church, Eighth and Grove streets.—The Rev. Edgar E. Gee, rector. Low celebration of Holy Communion, 7:45, in chapel; matins, 10:45; solemn eucharist at 11 a. m.; choral evensong and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin, adjoining church.—Daily holy eucharist; stations of the cross on Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.; devotions and instruction, Fridays at 7:45 p. m.

St. Paul's Church, corner Twenty-third and Webster streets.—The Rev. Alexander Allen, rector. Celebration of Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 11 o'clock; vesper service, 6 p. m.; Christian Union, chief celebration of office of Alameda county, will speak on "The New View of Crime: Cure, Not Punishment."

Trinity Episcopal Church.—The Rev. C. Macon, rector; the Rev. N. Saunders, curate; the Rev. Dr. J. Bakewell, rector emeritus. Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 11 o'clock; vesper service, 6 p. m.; Christian Union, chief celebration of office of Alameda county, will speak on "The New View of Crime: Cure, Not Punishment."

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Twelfth and Angelica streets, Rev. Edward R. Dodds, priest in charge.—Holy Communion, 7:45 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 11 a. m. subject, "Tasks and Visions." Anthem at both services. "Send Out Thy Light" (Gounod). Evensong and sermon, 7:30 p. m. Full vested choir. During Lent the litany and short address, Friday evening at 8 p. m.

West Alameda Presbyterian Church.—The Rev. T. J. Curran, pastor. Services tomorrow on the following themes: "The Power of the Spirit," 11 a. m.; "The Lord's Highway," 7:30 p. m. Solo by Mrs. J. C. Curran.

Centennial Presbyterian Church, Twenty-fourth and Talcott avenues.—The Rev. Orlando E. Hart, D.D., pastor. Morning subject, "Wise Leadership," evening subject, "The Powers That Be." Special vocal solo at the evening service.

First Presbyterian Church, Sixty-second street, between Grove and Dwyer.—The Rev. W. H. Layton, L.L.D., pastor. Services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.; mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "The Power of the Spirit." The Rev. W. C. Phillips of San Francisco will preach at the evening service. Miss Lela Brackett will sing at morning service. Misses Katie Antone and H. B. W. Cady will sing at the evening service. The annual church meeting will be held at the church next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be a Coffee Klatch at the church next Thursday from 2 to 4 p. m. The women's auxiliary will give a social at the church on Friday, March 27, at 8 o'clock. A sacred concert given the first Sunday in April at the church.

Baptist.—Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, Tenth and East Fourteenth streets.—H. L. Boardman, minister. The Rev. H. W. Jones, evangelist, and Professor E. A. Spear, soloist, will continue the revival services which have been in progress for two weeks past. The Rev. Mr. Jones will preach morning and evening. At 8:30 p. m. the Rev. William Spurgeon of London, England, will lecture on "The Welsh Revival."

The series of special services which have been in progress for two weeks at the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, East Oakland, under the leadership of the Rev. H. W. Jones and Professor E. A. Spear, will come to a close Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A goodly number of accessions to the membership of the church will result from the meetings. Professor Spear's afternoon services for boys and girls have been a marked and successful feature of the past week. The last two days of the series, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, will be given up to a conference on evangelism, led by the evangelist, the Rev. Mr. Jones. To this conference evangelists and church workers generally are invited. After a short respite in Oregon the evangelists will return to California and conduct a mission at Bethel, Oregon.

On Sunday afternoon, March 22, at 3:30 o'clock, the Rev. William Spurgeon of London, England, will deliver his lecture on "The Welsh Revival" at the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church. Dr. Spurgeon is a cousin of the late Rev. Charles H. Spurgeon and is himself a preacher and lecturer of international repute. His story of the great spiritual awakening in Wales will prove of the greatest interest to the public at large.

Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church, Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship and sermon at 11 a. m.; sermon by the Rev. L. R. Russell, at 3 p. m. Bible classes, 12:30 p. m. Junior union, 3 p. m. People's meeting, 6:30; evening worship and sermon, 7:30 o'clock, sermon by the Rev. J. C. Travis. Songs led by Rev. J. Schneider and chorus choir.

There will be a W. C. T. U. silver medal contest given in the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church by the Sunday school, Friday evening, March 20, at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

Melrose Baptist Church, Forty-seventh and Bond streets.—The Rev. Walter E. Tanner, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; at 11 a. m., sermon, "The Spiritual Power of the Ideal Church." B. Y. F. at 6:30 p. m.; at 8:45 p. m. sermon, subject, "Isiah Among the Star Gazers of Oakland and San Francisco." Isiah, the prophet, Ch. 40 and 41. P. 1908, is pictured in the "Isiah" series of lectures among the "Star Gazers" who are not all astronomers and scientists, but for the most part are uneducated slaves, chroniclers and reformers, susceptible citizens, somnambulist churches, deluded clubs and charitable organizations. He visits the jails, charitable institutions, hospitals and many public institutions, which he describes in his old-time vernacular and comments and condemns in language decidedly "Isaiahic."

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. William Thomas, pastor.—Public services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible school, 9:45 a. m.; Junior B. Y. P. U., 2 p. m.; Senior B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. The church will preach both morning and evening and the public is cordially invited to attend. Tuesday at 8 p. m. a stereopticon lecture on "Modern Palestine and Scenes in the Life of Jesus" by Robert J. Buchanan of Menton, N. J. An evening will be taken, Wednesday, mid-week service, 7:45 p. m.

First Baptist Church, Telegraph avenue, corner Jones; Rev. H. J. Vosburgh.



REV. MR. BOOTH, PASTOR OF NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, BERKELEY.

D. D., pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. C. M. Hill, D. D., president Baptist Theological Seminary. Morning topic, "Sacred Soil and Real Values." Evening, "Going Over the Dead."

Christ Scientist.—Second Church of Christ Scientist, 382 East Fifteenth street, near Seventh avenue. Services, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Wednesday meeting, subject, "Matter." Wednesday, "Testimonial Meeting," 8 p. m.

Unitarian.—First Unitarian Church, corner Fourteenth and Castro streets.—The Rev. William Day Simonds, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning sermon, "In the Shadow of Death." Evening, "A New Catholicism, or Related Prophecies of a Reunited Christendom." The Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, the pastor, has announced the following Sunday evening topics as a preparation for these meetings: March 22, "A Catholicism, or Related Prophecies of a Reunited Christendom," March 29, "The New Evangelicalism, or Related Prophecies of a Reunited Christendom," April 5, "The Meaning of the Current Wave of Reform," April 12, "The Gospel for the Times, or Modern Sin," and the Sermon on the Mount, April 19, "A Nation of History, or the Parable of the Good Samaritan in Twentieth Century Settings."

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Seamen's Services.—Seamen's Mission of Oakland, 1065 West street, near Twelfth, holds meetings every Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock and Sundays at 4 p. m. Everybody welcome. Advent—Christian—Advent Christian Church.—The Rev. M. MacFadyen, pastor. Morning subject, "Prophecy, Looked at from the Past." Mrs. MacFadyen will preach in the evening. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Church on Thirty-first street, near West. All are cordially invited.

Christian Alliance.—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, at the Christian Church, 574 Twentieth street. The Rev. J. E. Jaderquist will speak. All welcome.

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GIRL'S MENTAL TELEPATHY WINS

2000 High School Students Think Hard and Get New Building.

NEW YORK, March 21.—With more than 2000 high school girls using mental telepathy to force the issue, the Board of Estimates yesterday approved an appropriation of \$500,000 to build a new high school, to be called the Washington Irving High School.

Some time ago the land was purchased and all that was necessary was the money for the building. Petitions signed by every pupil in the school and several thousand others were sent to the board. At half-past ten o'clock, when the board considered the matter yesterday, all class duties were laid aside in the present school and every pupil was asked to think hard and urge on the board the immediate action.

"Ayer's Sarsaparilla" was used by a new school," was said mentally by the entire school, and the mental process apparently had its effect, as the board passed the appropriation. The new building will be erected in Irving Place, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

SEARCHES YEARS FOR MISSING DAUGHTER. NEW YORK, March 21.—After three years' search on his own account for his missing daughter, involving the expenditure of more than \$5000, James Gwiltson, a retired milliner, has finally appealed to the police to find the girl. If she is still alive the missing girl, Olga, is 23 years old. Since her disappearance at the age of 20, private detectives have searched for her in half a dozen countries, but which said last night that he felt sure his daughter was still living. He believes the girl ran away to go on the

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THUGS ATTACK AND CHOKED WOMAN

SHE SCREAMS AND TRIO TAKES TO FLIGHT

One Suspect Arrested and Jailed Denies That He Is Man Wanted.

George Cross, a Greek laborer, is under arrest at the city prison on suspicion of being a party to an assault on Mrs. Mary Harrington, 1014 Fifteenth street, at 8:30 o'clock last night. He denies his guilt.

According to a report filed at police headquarters this morning by Policeman T. Wood, three men sprang upon Mrs. Harrington at Fifth and Campbell streets as she was on her way to visit a friend in West Oakland. One of the men severely choked the woman, who screamed lustily for help.

Policeman Wood arrived on the scene just as the men were taking to their heels. Five boys—Arthur Lyons of 809 Lyon street, Harry Hardy of 1535 Fifth street, Charles Tripole of 517 Peralta street, C. B. Wood of 1317 Fifth street and E. McMillan of 1910 Fifth street—joined with the policeman in an exciting chase after the woman's assailants.

After a chase of two or three blocks the three men separated, taking different directions. Cross was seen to enter a house on Fifth street and was closely pursued by the policeman and the excited boys. Despite his protest he was taken to jail and is held pending an investigation. The unidentified man who was seen to choke Mrs. Harrington succeeded in making his escape.

DISCOVERS WIFE IN JAIL; ACCUSES POLICE

Declares Woman Was Told to Plead Guilty on Promise of Freedom.

A woman, giving the name of Clara Smith, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Policemen Nells and Hanley and charged with vagrancy at the city prison. She pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to 30 days in the city prison by Judge Smith. This morning a man giving the name of Smith, arrived from San Francisco and said that the woman was his wife and that she had been made to plead guilty to the charge and sentenced to 30 days in the city prison in the hope of having the sentence set aside.

According to the husband, Clara Smith told him that the arresting officers had admitted a mistake had been made, and that they would explain the case to the judge at the same time telling her that to plead guilty would be the quickest way out of the difficulty. She did as instructed, it is alleged, with the result of being sentenced to two months in the city prison.

The husband promises to have a full investigation of the affair, declaring that the policemen are too quick to attach suspicion to women on the street without escorts.

TO TELL OF CAMPAIGN TO EVANGELIZE THE WORLD

Secretary J. Campbell White to Address Several Meetings.

The local co-operative committee of the women's missionary movement has arranged to give a banquet in this city on Thursday evening, April 2, at Reed Hall, to J. Campbell White, secretary of the movement. Mr. White will tell of the campaign to evangelize the world in a generation. Friday afternoon, April 3, there will be a meeting for women only in one of the large churches. This, too, will be addressed by Mr. White. On the same evening a mass meeting for men only will be held.

Following these meetings the denominationalists will take up the matter of their own churches' missionary work in the ways that seem best to them.

Tickets for the banquet are in the hands of men from each denomination, and have been allotted according to the members of the churches. The number is necessarily limited to each church, as but 500 can be accommodated and the churches on both sides of the bay are to be represented.

BOYS ARE COMMITTED TO REFORM SCHOOLS

John Driggs of West Oakland, aged 12, was committed to the Whittier State school until 21 years old by Judge Ogden yesterday.

Harold Leggs of Golden Gate, was committed to the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society in San Francisco.

SUNDAY DINNER

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS ELECT OFFICERS FOR NEW TERM



MRS. W. F. LAKE OF BERKELEY, THE NEW SECRETARY.

Convention Closes; Passes Resolutions

The Alameda County Sunday School Convention closed last night after an interesting session, held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Fourteenth and Clay streets.

A large delegation of representative ministers assembled to participate in discussions of vital importance to Sunday school teachers.

Those who took part in the convention were H. Morton, Rev. E. H. Maer, Professor G. V. Carter, Rev. F. C. Gale, Rev. Willie M. Martin, Rev. H. K. Sarbonne, A. B. Weeks, Rev. M. R. Drury, J. F. Jones and Dr. George W. White.

Select Officers.

The feature of the convention was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, O. J. Lynch, San Leandro; vice-president, Rev. G. W. White, Oakland; secretary, Mrs. W. F. Lake, Berkeley; treasurer, Harvey Lyons, Alameda; assistant secretary, A. T. Brandt, Oakland; department superintendents, primary-junior, Mrs. T. H. Hagaman, Oakland; home department, Rev. Levi Gregory.

The following resolutions were passed and adopted:

Resolved, That the full crew and passengers of the Alameda County Sunday School Association express their great confidence, its esteem and respect to the one who has so faithfully piloted their craft through all the waters, peaceful and otherwise, during the past year. We recognize that his zeal has guided us over many shoals, and we trust that all may show their appreciation by carrying forward his enthusiasm in our county work and that all the other

officers shall not be thrown overboard but that permission be granted them to hold their pennant to the mast.

Extend Thanks.

Resolved, That we are thankful that at least part of the crew have contributed to the work of the voyage through the treacherous on board, and while this is true of the district outside of the large cities, we trust that those who have been sailing slowly through the year will no longer waver and pay the cost of their voyage; and acting on the suggestion of our State president, Bishop Bell, we get busy along all lines of Sunday school work and do it well; especially by paying all pledges to the State.

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered the First M. E. Church of Oakland for the kind reception within their church home for this meeting.

Resolved, That realizing the helpfulness in our gathering of good music, we desire to express our appreciation of the effort of Rev. Mr. Gale, Mr. Weeks, Mr. Jones and the Mizpah Chorus.

Resolved, That the hearty and substantial interest shown by passengers and crew in the mess hall be taken as an expression of the interest in and endorsement of that most interesting feature of the program.

Resolved, That as an expression of our appreciation of the tireless and efficient services of our secretary, Mrs. W. F. Lake, the crew rise and sing the first verse of "The King's Business."

Respectfully submitted: Rev. C. P. Moore, Rev. L. C. Russell and Mrs. Chas. Knight.

PRESIDENT SUMMONS LAW-MAKERS FOR CONFERENCE

Proposed Legislation Under Discussion

WASHINGTON, March 21.—An important conference was held in the White House this afternoon. The President, summoning the Senate and Representatives Payne, Dillard and Hepburn for the purpose of consulting them as to the legislative program which, it is understood, includes measures amendatory of the employers' liability act, the bill modifying the power

of injunction, the Aldrich financial bill, the Hepburn proposition to amend the Sherman anti-trust law and the proposition to prosecute a tariff inquiry during the recess of Congress.

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KEPT TAX MONEY ON ADVICE OF ATTORNEY

City Treasurer Explains Why He Resigned and Denies Charges Made.

The accusation has been made to the effect that the recent resignation of City Treasurer R. B. Ayer was inspired by fear of investigation of the charge that instead of paying out rebate taxes, 12 1/2 cents, he was paying only 3 cents on each \$1.25 paid. The charge was made by C. S. McMillan.

It was denied by Ayer, who claims that he resigned solely for the purpose of engaging in private business. His refusal to pay a rebate of more than 3 cents was done, he said, under instructions of the City Attorney. Those who objected to the payment of that sum, he says, can have the matter settled by appealing to the courts.

Ayer said today:

Attorney's Advice.

"The reason for my resignation is wholly a matter of private business. In regard to the rebate, I am acting directly under the advice of the City Attorney. Mr. McMillan claims that the people represented by him are entitled to a rebate of 12 1/2 cents on each \$1.25 paid in personal property unattached to real estate. Three cents of this he claims are excess taxes which I and all members of the city government admit and stand ready to repay at any time and in fact have paid all who have called for it.

"The remaining 9 1/2 cents was collected for park and boulevard and school purposes, authorized by State statutes.

"It would be the height of folly for me to think of repaying this 12 1/2 cents until instructed so to do by the court. I am hoping that an action for mandamus may be settled one day for all. In this I am working under the direct advice of the City Attorney.

In Interests of City.

"Personally, I gain not one cent, no matter which way the decision may be and the attitude taken by me is wholly in the interests of the city.

"The money involved is now in the hands of the city and it is not now or ever has been, no do I believe there ever will be an accusation that one dollar of this or any other money belonging to the city was ever converted by me to my private use."

McElroy Gave Advice.

City Attorney McElroy was seen on the subject and said:

"Mr. Ayer has acted under my advice in this matter as City Attorney and the position taken by him in the tax-matter is perfectly legal.

"If Mr. McMillan wishes to press the matter he can bring a mandamus suit against the city. Mr. McMillan and the matter can then be settled by the court.

"The city of Oakland certainly does not want to retain in the treasury any money to which any taxpayer may be entitled. Neither does any official take the position that money which should be paid out lawfully should be retained by the Treasurer.

Must Have Warrant.

"The duty of the Treasurer is to see that no money shall leave the treasury without warrant of law. For this reason, the demand of Mr. McMillan has been refused by the Treasurer.

"The position taken by the City Treasurer does not in any way interest or affect him financially as he has no personal interest in the matter. He has been refused by the Treasurer.

"The position taken by Mr. Ayer is solely for the benefit of the city of Oakland and in pursuance of his duty as a public official."

'THE COUNTRY SQUIRE' TO APPEAR AT MACDONOUGH

The Big Attractions Scheduled to Come Here.

Mr. Willard and his eastern company will be at the Macdonough Sunday afternoon and evening, presenting "The Country Squire." Willard will be remembered by theatergoers as appearing as the star in "The Christian."

Shubert and Leo Shubert announce the coming engagement of Mary Manning at the Macdonough next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, which will be a welcome event, as she will be seen in her new play, "The Flower of Yamato" and "Electra," and "Maggie."

Lots of fun, plenty of pretty music, a large and talented, well-trained chorus on the stage combine to make "Dream City" a welcome visitor to the Macdonough Friday and Saturday, March 28 and 29.

Especially when presented by a company headed by Little Chip and Mary Marble, headed by Little Chip and Mary Marble, headed by Little Chip and Mary Marble.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell will appear at the Macdonough Theater in repertory four nights and matinee, commencing March 30, during which time she will present "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray."

The Notorious Mrs. Elmhurst, Hedda Gabler, "The Flower of Yamato" and "Electra," and "Maggie."

Mrs. Arnold, mother of the bride, said this morning: "I have not heard from my daughter since last Tuesday, but I received a telegram from a friend saying that Elsie was married."

"She had been going with Miles for several years, but the marriage came as a surprise."

Elsie Arnold was a milliner in the employ of Miss Mary Ryan on Fourteenth street.

The young lovers procured their marriage license in Redwood City last night at 11 o'clock, from County Clerk Joseph A. Nash.

ACCUSES MEN OF AIDING EX-SWEETHEART ROB HIM

G. Triandafel of 739 Fifth street, who yesterday asked aid of the police in the search for Minnie Deskin, whom he says he sold his household goods and dispossessed her, has caused the arrest of Tony Flores and Henry A. Duols, whom he accuses of being parties to the sale of his goods.

Triandafel says that the date of his marriage was so close at hand that he fitted up apartments at Fifth and Clay streets. On Thursday, he was surprised to learn that the woman of his choice was missing and that the furnishings of his apartment had been sold.

Among the articles alleged to be missing are a revolver, two watch chains, four rings, a watch, a suit case, a suit of his clothes, and a pair of opera glasses.

The police are still in search of Minnie Deskin.

TAFT CLAIMS ELECTION ON FIRST BALLOT WITH PLENTY VOTES TO SPARE

WASHINGTON, March 21.—In the first official statement issued from the headquarters of Secretary Taft, Frank H. Hitchcock, manager of the campaign of the Secretary to obtain the Republican nomination for President, declared that Taft would have 532 votes on the first ballot, 61 more than necessary to nominate him.

Hitchcock said: "The present strength of Mr. Taft's candidacy can be summarized as follows: Northern States east of the Mississippi: New England, 52; Ohio, 45; other Northern and Eastern States, 52; Southern States east of Mississippi river, 123; States and Territories west of Mississippi, 270; outlying Territories, 4, total, 532."

In breaking the silence that has pervaded the Taft headquarters since the meeting of the national committee last December, in which the administration forces received a serious setback, the Taft managers have apparently satisfied themselves that there is no longer doubt as to the outcome and that the time has arrived to make public their claims officially in order to swing doubtful States into line behind the Taft band wagon.

POSSES PURSUE JAIL BREAKERS

Train Robbers Saw Through Three Sets of Bars to Gain Liberty.

HELENA, Mont., March 21.—George Frank Hauser and Charles McDonald, the Great Northern train robbers, who last September held up the Oriental Limited and rifled the registered mails of \$40,000, being transported to a Spokane bank, broke jail early this morning and are still at liberty.

To effect their escape the men sawed their cell doors, the corridor bars and the bars in a window. Immediately upon discovery of their escape several posses were formed and are now in pursuit. Men answering their description were seen in the southern part of the city, making for the mountains.

WIDOW SUES FOR BALM FOR HEART

Suit for \$25,000 damages for breach of promise has been brought by Mrs. Lydia Earle Allen, a widow of 1249 Regent street, Alameda, against Lambert Van Laak, a retired merchant of 2046 Howard street, San Francisco. The defendant is 75 years of age and has grown children.

Mrs. Allen says that Van Laak proposed to marry her in Napa last June. She agreed to marry him, she declares, but Van Laak never made any move to fulfill his promise, until she got tired and retained Attorney A. F. St. Sure to fight her case in the court.

"This suit is purely a blackmailing scheme," said Lambert Van Laak last night. "While it is true that Mrs. Allen and I lived together for twenty years, I never promised to marry her—in fact, I told her I never would."

"Some time ago I bought a house in Alameda, where we lived together. In June last year she asked me to deed the house over to her. I refused, then she asked me to marry her. I again refused and decided to leave her. Later I found that she was receiving attentions from other men. I then gave her formal notice to vacate the Alameda premises by April 1, and this suit is the result. I am 75 years old, but vigorous enough to fight any such attempt at blackmail."

Engine Jumps Track; 3 Trainmen Killed

SALT LAKE CITY, March 21.—Three trainmen were killed and another seriously injured today when an engine on the Copper Belt railroad, the line that carries the ore from the mines in the Utah district to the smelters, jumped the track while rounding a sharp curve and plunged into the Dewey custom mill.

Engineer J. H. Goodwin was killed in his cab, and two other trainmen were hurled against the building and badly hurt when the engine jumped the track and plunged into the mill.

The building was demolished.

Fiends Draw Spikes; Train Jumps Track

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 21.—The Diamond Special, a train of the Illinois Central road, running between Chicago and St. Louis, was derailed today two miles south of here.

Train wreckers had drawn all of the spikes from a rail.

The locomotive, baggage and express cars turned over, while the buffet car left the rails but remained upright.

No one was injured.

GIRL WITNESS IS AMONG MISSING

G. Gordone, proprietor of a fruit stand in the Free Market, who was charged with having enticed fifteen-year-old Clara Banovich to a room at No. 17 Telegraph avenue and assaulted her at the point of a pistol, appeared for trial before Judge Smith this morning, but owing to the absence of the complaining witness the case was continued until March 24 and a bench warrant was issued for the girl.

The statement was made in court that the girl had been spirited away by persons interested in the defense of Gordone, but no evidence was submitted to support the contention. Gordone's arrest followed a complaint to the police on the part of the mother of the girl that Clara Banovich had been stopped on the streets by Gordone and his half brother, Tony Cordone, and taken to the room at No. 17.

Cordone was released shortly after his arrest, no complaint having been filed against him. G. Gordone is a married man.

DRIVER THROWN 40 FEET BY STREET CAR

A. N. Kite, driver for Frederick C. Kuehner, dealer in groceries and fruits, 2445 Broadway, Berkeley, was thrown forty feet through the air from his seat, but landed unharmed, when his wagon was struck by Telegraph avenue car No. 330, at Sixteenth street and Telegraph avenue this morning.

The wagon was smashed to pieces, the car crashing clear through the center of the side, and the horse was badly injured.

Fruits and groceries were scattered for half a block and for over an hour the small boys of the neighborhood fought over the spoils.

BOYS AT STANFORD BLAMELESS, HE SAYS

Father of Suspended Student Goes to University to Investigate Trouble.

In the midst of the trouble at Stanford, Arthur G. Nason, father of Harry Nason, one of the suspended students, went to the University and made a personal investigation of the affair, with the result that he sides with the students. Nason, who resides in Alameda, has offices at 424 Tenth street, this city. He said today:

"In order that I might be fully posted on the situation I went to Stanford. I attended a most remarkable meeting at the University, and listened to the undergraduates discussing the situation. I must say I never saw a finer set of young men and one and all of them are more loyal and love their University more than do the members of the Student Affairs Committee who are there simply for dollars and cents and the student conclusion that a general strike would injure the University was a very wise one."

"I made a careful and thorough investigation, and while the student body at their meeting passed certain resolutions, comprising breaches of university discipline and apologizing for any faults made, I doubt if there were any students present who felt that any grave error had been committed by any of the students who participated in the unfortunate parade. Offered no insult."

"It seems that on the evening the proclamation of the Student Affairs Committee was received by the officers, fraternities and students, after they had all finished their dinner and were sitting on the porches talking over the situation, there was a general gathering which ended in a parade. The parade was a very wise one."

"They marched by some old shacks which would have made good bonfires if they had so selected, but they paraded back, going through the library (which had been done in favor of the parade) and the students who were suspended joined the parade after it was well under way; and if I had been there I would have joined the parade myself."

Liquor Not Cause.

"A great many people throughout California will consider this suspension as a result of the determination of the faculty to do away with drinking and having had in mind to do so, it is not the cause. Some of the suspended men have never touched liquor in any form. The students all realize that it is essential to do away with drunkenness in the student body."

"The proclamation regarding the use of liquor at the college. The only criticism I have to make is that it should have been done long ago."

"I personally feel that the students of the twelve men who have been suspended need not consider such a disgrace, and my sympathies are thoroughly with the students, especially with the four men who were suspended."

"The entire situation there is rather unfortunate, as President Jordan has apologized to the students for his action, and the twelve suspended men have apologized to the Student Affairs Committee for any breach of discipline or any imaginary insults—24 students who participated in the parade have also apologized, and the entire student body, at their remarkable meeting, apologized as a whole, and it is now up to the Student Affairs Committee to acknowledge and remedy the situation and to suspend the twelve men for participating in the parade, which is the opinion of 90 per cent of all who know about the situation."

"In fact, it is a golden opportunity for the faculty and the students to get together and have a more friendly feeling existing between them than there has been in the past."

"I do not know what action will be taken by President Jordan, but unfortunately, he delegates the final decision to parties who are not large enough to properly handle the situation, and who are not, and never have been, in sympathy with the students. The law is so proud that he himself, as president, should give his personal attention and take full responsibility, for it is certainly a most important matter, so that the beautiful university, of which California is so proud, can continue its good work without unfavorable criticism throughout the State."

Says It's Up to Jordan.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines. The law forbids the use of opium, morphine, cocaine, and other habit-forming drugs in the preparation of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have always claimed that our remedy is safe and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during many years of use in general use. For sale by Osgood Drug Stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets."

CHEAP EXCURSION RATES.

Account United States battleship fleet celebration, Southern Pacific Company will sell very low rate tickets to Oakland and San Francisco from Portland, Ogden, El Paso and all points west. For further particulars see Southern Pacific Co., cor. 13th and Franklin streets, Oakland or Southern Pacific agents.

ALL RECEIVER'S ACTIONS APPROVED BY THE COURT

Formal approval of the first report of Receiver P. James P. Edorf for the California bank was given by Superior Judge Harris yesterday. The report was filed several weeks ago and portions of it relating to unsatisfied claims by the bank against individuals with cash on deposit as well as other transactions in settling the affairs of the institution have been gone over in detail at various times since.

Sales of claims by the bank against Berkeley receivers were also approved. A sale was made in court today to Warren Cheney for \$800 on an assignment of mortgage and a similar sale to Lillian St. White for \$400 was sanctioned.

Edorf filed suit today against Julia E. Stocking to recover \$100 on a promissory note alleged to have been held by the bank against her.

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CONTRACTS FOR CITYWORK, HE DECLARES, SHOULD BE LET TO LOCAL BIDDERS

Unemployed Iron-Worker Urges the Board of Works to Consider This Matter.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: Would like to call your attention to the fact that there is now pending before the board of public works a matter which should be given considerable thought as it means a great deal to the unemployed iron workers of this city.

I refer to the bids for the making and installing of the machinery for the salt water pumping system which is to be installed by the city as an auxiliary fire-fighting system.

The lowest bid is that of an eastern firm, which has no factory on the Pacific Coast, but does its manufacturing in the East. Consequently it pays its workmen or merchants in the city of Oakland, who are to help pay for this system as taxpayers.

As there are several bids by local firms who employ many men and as said bids are but slightly in excess of the lowest bid of the above eastern firm it is no more than just that a local shop should have the preference in view of the facts following:

First, the cost of living being higher

on the Pacific Coast wages are higher; consequently it is almost impossible to meet the figures of an eastern firm.

Second, the existing conditions are such that many men in the city of Oakland working at the iron trades are unemployed at the present time, and if there is any money to spend by the city it is no more than just that a reasonable allowance be made in favor of the local firms who pay wages here not in the East.

The money to be spent on this system is a considerable amount and all of it should be spent here where it is needed and would be an immense help to the iron workers of Oakland.

I hope the board of public works will consider this matter have a thought for the unemployed men and spend all of this money—not part of it—right here in Oakland where not only will the workmen be benefited but the merchants with whom they deal as well.

Hoping that you will find space for this in your valuable columns I am respectfully yours,

EMPLOYED IRON WORKER
Oakland March 20 1908

SENATE PASSES SUBSIDY BILL

Oceanic Steamship Company's
Vessels to Resume Trips to
Antipodes.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The Senate has passed the Gallinger mail subsidy bill, authorizing the Postmaster-General to pay ships of the second class with voyages of 1000 miles or more between Pacific ports and the Philippines, Japan, China, South America, and Australia the bounty now paid to first-class ships plying between Atlantic ports of the United States, England, Germany and France.

The Oceanic Company's ships have been laid up some time because the mail contracts with Australia and other British possessions have been lost to American ports on the Pacific.

Because of the subsidy paid by the Government to have the mails brought to Vancouver and sent across the continent on Canadian railroads for shipment to Europe.

Amendments Fail.

Efforts of the Democrats to talk the bill to death and to swamp it with amendments failed.

The bill was amended in several unimportant respects by Senator Chandler of Vermont, The Lodge amendment includes ships of the third class in the subsidy upon a proportionate rate as to the tonnage and speed.

Senator Newlands submitted an amendment which was withdrawn proposing that instead of spending large sums annually in subsidies on ships owned by private companies the Government should spend one million annually for twenty seven years in building ships of its own to be used as auxiliaries to the navy in time of war and to be leased for opening steamship lines when the country was not at war.

All the Republican leaders are working to get the bill through.

WILL READ FROM JACK LONDON'S LATEST BOOK

A dramatic reading by Mrs. F. M. F. of the book "The Iron Heel" will be given at the old Lutheran Church, 528 Seventeenth street, Sunday March 22, 11 o'clock in the morning. Admission will be free.

HAS WONDERFUL TOMATO PLANT

Gustave Grunwald of Fruit-exhibitor at the Chamber of Commerce a tomato plant with upwards of two hundred tomatoes on Mr. Grunwald experimented with an Eclipse and Alice De Wailt tomato plant, taking the pollen from one to the other by using a camel's hair brush. The result was that the characteristics of both varieties were intensified in the one instance. Horticultural Commissioner Seuberg states that the vine on exhibition has sufficient tomatoes on it to make two dozen quart bottles of ketchup. These plants for sale by City Market, 11th St. Market.

PHILLIP A. LEISZ,
339 Twelfth St. Oakland.

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many an Oakland Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information.

When you're back gives out. Becomes lame weak or aching. When urinary troubles set in. Your kidneys are in a bad way. Doan's Kidney Pills will cure you. Here is local evidence to prove it.

Geo. J. Len, living at 1144 East Nineteenth street, East Oakland, Cal., says "I think the constant jar of the engine while following my occupation as locomotive engineer has brought on my kidney trouble. I do not know how long I suffered from this complaint but I have been so greatly annoyed that I thought my back would break. I had a constant desire to pass the secretions and each passage was always attended with a scalding or burning sensation. This disease seemed to affect my whole system and as a result for the loss of sleep I would arise in the morning feeling tired and languid. I tried many remedies without any relief, and at last began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They went at once to the seat of the trouble, and it was not long before the secretions became normal and regular and my backache disappeared. I am now enjoying the best of health and have not had a sign of kidney or bladder trouble since Doan's Kidney Pills cured me."

For sale at all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Drinking Men Not Wanted

The above sign is now seen in many shops and offices in this city because drinking men are unreliable. Competition is too keen and life is too strenuous for an employer to keep men on his payroll whose nerves are unsteady and whose brains are not clear.

Every line of business is beginning to close its doors to drinking men. Drunkenness is a disease and like most diseases—its remedy. Orlene is the reliable treatment and is sold under a positive guarantee to effect a cure or your money will be refunded. Orlene is in two forms No. 1 which can be used without the patient's knowledge in tea, coffee or food and No. 2 for those who wish to be cured.

The guarantee applies to both forms. Mailed in pair sealed package on receipt of \$1.00. Write for free booklet. Mailed in pair sealed package on receipt of \$1.00. Write for free booklet. Mailed in pair sealed package on receipt of \$1.00. Write for free booklet.

Orlene Co., Washington, D. C. or Owl Drug Co., 13th and Broadway.

Sour Stomach

I need Cascarets and feel like a new man. I have been a sufferer from dyspepsia and sour stomach for the last two years. I have been taking pills and other drugs but I feel no relief only a little more trouble. I have been told that Cascarets is a reliable remedy and I have tried it and it has cured me. I feel like a new man and I am sure it will cure you. Cascarets is a reliable remedy and I have tried it and it has cured me. I feel like a new man and I am sure it will cure you.

Best For The Bowels
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THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

BOY GOES INSANE IN UNIVERSITY HALL

NEW YORK, March 21.—It took several students of New York University to subdue James M. Neeney, 15 years old, who went suddenly insane yesterday while wandering about the rotunda in the Hall of Fame of that institution.

His queer actions had attracted attention during his travels about the hall but no one disturbed him until he began pounding on the door of Langue Hall and shouting that he had paid for an education and was going to eat his money's worth. He was overpowered and held until the arrival of an ambulance from Fordham hospital later being transferred to Bellevue for examination in the psychopathic ward.

MAYOR ON TRIP TO STUDY GARBAGE INCINERATORS

To Investigate Methods Used in
Cities of Northwest.

Mayor Mott left Oakland last night to study methods of incinerating garbage in other cities. He will be absent ten or twelve days. He was accompanied by C. J. Heeseman.

The mayor will visit Seattle, Vancouver and other cities of the Northwest. He said before his departure:

"Nothing is so important to our city as the preservation of its health. Not only has the plague threatened but in fighting the war we have been brought to realize the importance of solving permanently the garbage question."

I feel hopeful that before the year is ended we shall have worked out the garbage menace for all time. It will require the earnest efforts of our people back of the municipal forces to accomplish this much desired result but I have no doubt that this will be given."

Almost any man can convince a woman that he loves her but he has to work overtime in order to keep her convinced.

Woman's Nightmare

The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of Mother's Friend so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has earned thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

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MEN

Are You Suffering From Any Private Disease?

IF SO you should always take EXTREME CARE as to the physician into whose hands you entrust your health. Remember that INACCURATE TREATMENT or services of an incompetent doctor may ruin your health for life.

Don't Be Misled By CHEAP CURE "Baits"

Don't gamble your life away, and BEWARE OF FAKE MEDICAL concerns. They call themselves DR. SO AND SO & COMPANY "specialists" for men with a FAKE picture in the paper of a MAN who cannot be found in their offices and who does not exist. The fact is that in most instances there is not one real doctor in their company and if there is one he is so obscure a doctor that he is not known one block away. INTELLIGENT men KNOW THIS and AVOID such places as they AVOID death.

WE ARE POSITIVELY THE ONLY regularly graduated PHYSICIANS SPECIALISTS for men advertising in CALIFORNIA who INTERVIEW, TREAT and CURE our PATIENTS PERSONALLY. OUR OFFICES are located in our own building which is occupied by ourselves exclusively. THEY ARE STRICTLY PRIVATE and equipped with the most modern appliances and the latest inventions essential for the proper treatment and prompt cure of all special diseases of men. WE OWE our IMMENSE PRACTICE to the FACT that we are able to DEMONSTRATE to the PATIENTS the surrounding States WHAT we HAVE DONE BY OUR SPECIALISTS with ABILITY to live up to every PROMISE made to the PATIENT.

DON'T BE A WEAK MAN

IT is an undeniable fact that seven out of ten of the cases of "weakness" come from some neglected or badly treated case of gonorrhea. Unless the BEST TREATMENT is given as soon as the trouble is discovered, the disease is certain to ensue. This means WASTE, followed by LOST MANHOOD, and then none of the great vital functions are ever quite satisfactorily performed. IF YOU COME to us we will treat you in a way that will promptly CURE the trouble and RESTORE you to FULL MANLY STRENGTH and VIGOR.

BY our methods we are enabled to reach the vital spot with our direct treatment which drives every disease germ from the system by going to the root of the disorder. Because our system is so exact and so light on the patient and so sure of success, we CAN POSITIVELY CURE YOU, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING and COMPLICATED your case may be.

OUR method of DIRECT LOCAL TREATMENT has established a world wide reputation for us. We are continually carrying on investigations and perfecting treatment so that now with our combined skill and vast experience we make cures which are impossible to others and no matter what form of trouble or weakness you may have, it is FAIRLY IN YOUR power to get it cured by us before you even TRY elsewhere.

TAKE NOTICE. We positively guarantee to cure Acute or Chronic Gonorrhea, Syphilis, Gleet and Discharges in SEVEN DAYS. THIS MEANS EXACTLY WHAT IT SAYS. If this seems impossible to you as it does to most doctors it will be well worth your while to make one visit to our institution and you will have a chance to see for yourself what REAL SPECIALISTS CAN DO for you.

AS TO SPECIFIC BLOOD POISON (SYPHILIS) IT'S A CURSE

We regard our successful treatment of syphilis as the crowning triumph of a professional career of which we are justly proud. We employ no harmful or dangerous drugs. The remedies we use are such as no other physician employs in the treatment of this disease. Every symptom of syphilis vanishes to appear never more. The blood is thoroughly cleansed and syphilis vanishes and the patient becomes a clean strong vigorous and healthy man.

WE CURE: SEXUAL WEAKNESS—DRAIN LOSSES—SPERMATORRHEA—TROUBLE—ACUTE OR CHRONIC GONORRHOEA—GLEET—STRICTURE—VARICOCELE—HYPOCELE—SWELLING—RUPTURE—ULCERS—SCORBS—PILES—RHEUMATISM OR ANY ROUBLESOME LONG STANDING OR SCATED DISEASES. THIS MEANS EXACTLY WHAT IT SAYS.

OUR FEES ARE REASONABLE AND SO CONFIDENT ARE WE IN OUR ABILITY TO CURE YOU THAT WE POSITIVELY GUARANTEE TO CURE ANY CASE WE UNDERTAKE.

AND YOU PAY WHEN CURED

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HOURS 9 A. M. TO 9 P. M. SUNDAYS 9 A. M. TO 2 P. M.

THE UNITED PHYSICIANS and SURGEONS

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

A REAR cottage, 3 sunny rooms, partly furnished; nice bathroom; 40 month. Phone Oakland 3440.

A LARGE eight-room house newly furnished; location, with lawn and fruit trees; 30 month. Phone 3440.

COTTAGE of 4 rooms, 3 furnished; piano, 2 beds from Key Route station; will be vacant April 1. 3500 1st st. near Key Route station for rent and furnished; 30 month; half price. Call 3500 1st st. near Key Route station.

FURNISHED house of six rooms; adults only; reasonable to right party. 1905 Pacific ave., near Benbow, Alameda.

FOR RENT—3 rooms, partly furnished; modern conveniences; no children; rent \$25. Corner 34th and West st.

FURNISHED 7-room modern house on large lot with fruit and flowers. Situated on 34th and Chestnut, 82nd St. to 10 1/2 a. m. E. H. Welch & Co., 4th and 15th st.

FOR RENT—Furnished modern 6-room cottage, one 30 month, one 24 month, 1335 12th ave., phone Meritt 506; references.

FOR RENT—Sunny house, 8 rooms with carpet, large yard, 1335 12th st.

HOUSE to rent furnished or unfurnished to small family; large yard, fruit trees. Cor. 55th and Dover, 5501 Dover st.

WILL lease new, modern, completely furnished bungalow, 3 rooms; bath; garden; rent \$10. 1237 St. Charles st., Alameda.

5-ROOM cottage, furnished, bath, gas, electric light, 630 23d st., near Grove.

BEAUTIFUL 7-room furnished 8-room house, piano, etc., at 615 Telegraph ave.

6-ROOM cottage, furnished or unfurnished. Apply 1449 High st., Fruitvale.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES.

A MODERN 8-room cottage, 1108 23rd st., 1/2 block from Key Route station; rent \$30.

A 5-ROOM modern cottage; rent \$25. 50 Rio Vista ave., near Piedmont ave.

FOR RENT—A good neighborhood, modern conveniences. This price includes water.

\$25.00—Lower 5-room flat, No. 105 5th st., newly papered and painted; all conveniences; yard and basement. Price includes water.

\$25.00—Lower 5-room flat, on Myrtle st., new and modern; this side of 16th st.

\$30.00—New and modern upper flat of 6 rooms; same as above.

SIMMONS & HAWLEY, 407 Eleventh st.

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room house, 510 30th st., near Grove. Apply at 523 15th st., near San Pablo ave.

FINE modern 5-room house and barn. Telephone 454. 53th st. Apply, Harold, 3050 Telegraph.

FOR RENT—New 5-room cottage, 475 44th st., near Telegraph ave. and Key Route.

FOR RENT—Sunny cottage, 6 rooms, bath, sanitary, plumbing, large garage; rent \$30. 1130 E. 10th st.

LARGE up-to-date lot of houses and lots; no obligation to buy; good; John Brunner Co., 53th and Franklin, Oakland's largest furniture store.

MODERN 6-room corner cottage, near S. P. locals, 1070 14th ave., cor. East 10th.

NEW 6-room house, all modern conveniences; large yard; new; 1335 West st., take Grove car.

RENT—Modern cottage, four rooms and large attic, 1440 Bray ave., Fruitvale. Carpenters, 1440 Bray ave.

THREE-ROOM flat cottage, neat, sunny, near stores, \$10.50. 4807 Ferry.

5-ROOM house, modern; 2 toilets; large yard; rent reasonable. Key at 880 Sycamore st., phone Oakland 6446.

2-ROOM cottage, sunny; high basement; sink and water; new; newly painted and papered. 1651 Campbell.

5-ROOM modern cottage; modern; lot 50x 150; East Oakland. Box 4761, Tribune.

UNFURNISHED FLATS to Let

AAA—Cheapest flat in town, 10 rooms, bath, 3014 18th st., near Telegraph ave. Astoria, 10th Broadway.

AAA—MODERN flats, 3 rooms and bath, Telegraph ave., convenient to Key Route. Apply Geo. W. Austin, 151 Broadway.

A NEW sunny flat, 709 4th st.; rent \$25. Owner, 142 Market st.

AN elegant 3-room corner flat, 845 52d.

CORNER FLATS

For rent; new corner flats of six rooms and reception hall; modern in every detail; in new building, 31st and Grove streets. Apply at 417 13th street, or phone Oak 2163.

COTTAGE, new and modern, of 6 rooms and bath; on 3d st., bet. Grove and Telegraph ave.; rent \$25.00. Layman, Real Estate Co., 490-492 8th st.

ELBACH FLATS—Upper and lower, 5 and 8 rooms, 1000 13th st., new and modern; \$25.00 and \$35. Layman, Real Estate Co., 490-492 8th st.

Flat to RENT—Flat Three-room flat on 25th st., near Grove, for rent. Call at 564 24th st. for key. Telephone Oakland 2252.

FOR RENT—Last week in April, upper flat, 8 sunny rooms; all conveniences, central location; unfurnished \$10, furnished except 3 bedrooms \$50. 1264 Market st.

FOR RENT—Upper flat 6 rooms; close in; very cheap to desirable parties. Inquire 870 San Pablo ave.

FOR RENT—Up-to-date list of houses and lots to sell; on Key Route. Layman, Real Estate Co., 4th and Franklin, Oakland's largest furniture store.

BERN FLATS of 7 rooms and bath, on the corner of 14th and Chestnut, gas and electricity; fine condition. Layman, Real Estate Co., 490-492 8th st.

NEW flat of 5 rooms, 3 minutes walk to City Hall. Rent \$25.00.

SEVEN-ROOM new flat; all modern conveniences; rent only \$40. Owner on premises 3 to 1 p. m. 1011B Castro.

SIX-ROOM flat; near Key Route; \$20. 3803 Grove.

STERNY corner, modern, 8-room flat; Marshall Stern beds, gas range; rent reasonable; no children. Call at 304 31st st.

TWO new five-room flats, 23d and West; also one new flat, 51 Athens ave. 1 block to 2nd st.

TWO modern 5-room flats, 1/2 block from Telegraph, \$25.00. W. B. Thomas, 4920 Telegraph, phone Piedmont 1495.

UPPER flat of six clean sunny rooms; gas and sink; new flower garden. 255 East 16th st.

UPPER 5-room flat, 6th and 8th room house, \$30. Call at 328 15th st.

6-ROOM modern flat; also rooms in attic; gas, electricity. Inquire 952 Grove st., near 14th.

118—Three-room, lower flat, near Grove. Apply 702 24th st.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Four large sunny rooms, 1100 15th st., near Key Route. Reasonable.

Own four unfurnished rooms, private bath, gas, sink, 115 or 20. 2015 Market st.

THREE unfurnished rooms; only 2 quiet persons; rent reduced. 1120 Chestnut, near 10th.

UNFURNISHED rooms for housekeeping. The Don, 22d and San Pablo ave.

ALICE, cor. 9th and sunny unfurnished front room.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

AA—TWO housekeeping suites, running water and all conveniences. 1124 Myrtle st.

A COMPLETE kitchen and bedroom, nicely furnished, 3rd basement, 315 a. m. 917 Jefferson st.

AA—Modern sunny front suite with private entrance; ground floor; hot and cold water. 572 10th st.

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A SUITE of 2 or 3 front sunny housekeeping rooms; grounds; verandas; bath, etc.; private residence; also extra large front room, nicely furnished; suitable for quiet people; terms moderate. 806 E. 20th st., cor. 12th ave.

A LARGE room, complete for housekeeping; high ceiling; 1334 Jackson, 2nd room if desired. 555 Williams st., near 15th and San Pablo ave.

A WHOLE upstairs floor, furnished, neat and clean; 2nd room, 4250 24th st., 2nd room if desired. 555 Williams st., near 15th and San Pablo ave.

AT the Montrose, 658 5th st., 2 rooms, bath; well furnished for housekeeping. CLEAN, sunny housekeeping rooms, very reasonable; all conveniences. 1087 Grove, near 14th and 15th.

DOUBLE and single housekeeping rooms; very cheap; nice and clean. 115 14th st.

FURNISHED FLATS to Let.

FOR SALE—Bargain! 6-room furnished corner flat, \$200 if taken at once; terms 12 or 24 months. 1235 12th st., near Key Route station. Phone 3440.

FURNISHED flat, \$25; nicely furnished; new sunny, 3-room flat at 5503 Telegraph ave.

LOVELY new furnished flat near Telegraph, 515 24th st. Rent \$45. Phone Piedmont 1024.

NICELY furnished 4-room flat at 1027 Grove st.

SUNNY furnished upper or lower flat, four rooms, laundry, bath, complete for housekeeping. Adults. 1235 12th st.

WILL furnished sunny upper flat of six rooms and bath. Call between 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. 31 5th st.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished, new sunny, 3-room flat; piano, etc. At 5503 Telegraph ave.

\$25.00—Five-room upper flat, furnished. E. O. 114 Laurel ave., Piedmont.

1335 Market—4-room, well-furnished flat. Call 114 Laurel ave., Piedmont.

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AA—TWO nicely furnished rooms; also large basement for storage; rent very low. 244 14th st.

A NICE furnished front room, reasonable. 421 24th st., Oakland.

A FURNISHED room, \$6. 914 Brush st. Inquire at right-hand door.

AT the Pleasanton, 1103 Washington st., between 13th and 14th—Furnished rooms; reasonable.

AT 555 Castro, have just opened, every thing new and clean.

A NICE front room, suitable for two gentlemen and also back room; reasonable price. 683 9th st.

BEAUTIFUL sunny rooms in fashionable district, or without board; first-class homelike place; very reasonable. The Fairlawn, Fruitvale ave. and Bellevue st.

CENTRAL HOTEL, 616 13th st.—129 and \$1 a day; hot water; bath.

EAST OAKLAND—Sunny front room, newly furnished; 1 or 2 gentlemen; bath, telephone; 1 block from local 609 24th st.

FURNISHED room, reasonable. 768 11th st.

FURNISHED room, 1 or 2 gentlemen; new flat; bath and phone. 1714 Webster st. \$12 per month.

FURNISHED room near Market station, \$8 per month. 902 Market st. Phone Vernon 135.

FURNISHED sunny rooms with or without board. 1215 Webster st.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for lady or gentleman; \$12 per month; electric light; no cooking allowed. 1278 5th st.

Golden West Hotel

N. W. cor. 5th and Franklin st.—Just opened and centrally located; hot and cold water; electric light; \$12 per day; special price for permanent; must be seen; open all night.

HAVE sunny single room with bath; board optional; 2 meals. Close to Key Route. 320 21st st.

956 Franklin, newly furnished rooms, \$10 to \$15.00; \$12.50 to \$15.00; running water; gas heat in every room. J. Yaxson.

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LIVINGSTON

Suites of two and three rooms; also single rooms; hot and cold water, phone; convenient to car line. 807 San Pablo ave., cor. 14th.

LARGE sunny front room; gentleman; reasonable; references; 2 blocks 14th and Broadway. Address box 4737, Tribune.

LARGE, newly furnished room for housekeeping; gas and bath. 1151 Harrison, corner 13th.

LARGE sunny room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; \$12 per month; breakfast if desired. 1137 Telegraph ave.

LIGHT large front room, \$8. Also small room \$4. 1144 Filbert st.

NICELY furnished sunny suite, for four gentlemen; \$20 per month; each or two for one. Also 1 furnished room for one or two girls; \$8 each; three blocks from Broadway and 14th. Apply 1210 Harrison st.

NEATLY furnished front room with Spanish finish; \$8 per month. 311 4th st., bet. Alice and Jackson.

NICE sunny front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; \$8 per month; \$10 for two. 617 4th st., bet. Grove and Shattuck.

NICE 2nd floor, 4th and 5th rooms, 3008 Telegraph ave., near 19th st.

NICELY furnished bedroom, reasonable. 3008 Telegraph ave., near 19th st.

ON Grove st., cor. line, two minutes from Key Route station; 43 for one; 45 for two; breakfast if desired; terms reasonable. 802 Aggar st., between 8th and 9th.

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ONE or two beautiful sunny rooms with bath. Breakfast if desired. Suitable for refined gentleman appreciating congenial people. Phone Piedmont 3425 or Box 4765.

ON furnished room for gentleman. Location, 975 Cypress st., near 7th st. (near)

ONE upstairs room, suitable for boy; reasonable. Apply 712 15th st.

ROSLYN apartments, corner 19th and Telegraph—Single rooms, \$8 up; bath; running water.

THREE large newly furnished sunny rooms, bath and laundry; \$22.50. 2116 Elm st., near 24th and Telegraph.

SUNNY rooms from \$2.50 to \$5 per week; private house; bath. 205 12th st.

SUNNY sleeping rooms for gentlemen. 1235 Chestnut st.

SUNNY furnished room, \$6; gentleman; references; walking distance. 1235 Chestnut st.

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TWO nicely separate furnished rooms; private entrance; suitable for 2 gentlemen. 14th and 15th st., near Key Route.

TWO fine rooms, bath, laundry, close in. 74 Lydia, near 24th and San Pablo Key Route. Reasonable.

THE GLOBE HOTEL, OAKLAND. ROOMS FROM 50c UP

TO RENT—Two small rooms. 665 18th st.

Most select, artistically furnished; also unfurnished; 3 and 4 rooms; very sunny; electric light; terms reasonable. Third ave. and E. 16th st. References.

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ELWYN APARTMENTS

572 22nd near Grove. One 2-room apartment, \$12.50; gas and bath included; other apartments.

FRONT housekeeping rooms; running water, including bath. 1129 Myrtle st. Phone Oakland 5585.

FOR RENT—Two desirable sunny front housekeeping rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Also bedroom. 1105 Alice st., cor. 12th st.

FURNISHED housekeeping, 2 large connecting rooms, tubs; separate entrance. 144 week, including cooking gas. 153 5th st., Oakland.

FURNISHED apartments, \$10 to \$22 per mo.; running water and gas; other rms. also. 407 San Pablo ave.

FOUR unfurnished rooms, 1214 Webster, near 14th and 15th.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; rent reasonable. 521 23d.

FOUR rooms furnished for housekeeping. 1217 West st. No children.

FURNISHED 3 and 4-room apartments. "Dundas" apartments. 308 San Pablo.

FOUR furnished rooms, laundry and bath. \$20. 1609 15th st. No children.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, single or en suite. Inquire 417 6th.

Hollywood Inn Apts.

Just opened, San Pablo and 34th ave.; 2 and 3-room flats; new and handsomely furnished; also single rms. Phone Oak 457.

IN private family—Two sunny housekeeping rooms for married couple or ladies. 852 24th st.

HALF of newly furnished modern flat, consisting of three sunny rooms and use of kitchen, electricity, bath; central; \$27.50. 1128 Myrtle, bet. 12th and 14th st.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 1204 Market st.

LARGE sunny front room for light housekeeping. 53 19th st., near San Pablo ave.

LARGE sunny housekeeping room, nicely furnished, single or in suite. 1339 Harbison, cor. 24th and Broadway.

LARGE sunny housekeeping suite. 535 24th st.

Muri-El Apartments

Two to 4 rooms; kitchen and bath; electric light; furnished; 327 Grand ave., near Webster.

ONE suite furnished housekeeping rooms. 1204 Webster st.

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A PRETTY front room, with board, in a refined American family, suitable for a single man or a lady; close to car line; a good house for night parties. Call or address 2217 Pershing ave., Fruitvale.

APRIL 1st—One of two beautiful sunny rooms with bath, breakfast or board if desired. Suitable for refined gentleman; appreciate. 572 10th st.

AVONDALE, 343 38th st., near Telegraph ave.—Large sunny rooms, hot and cold water, electric lights, call bell, etc. 3750 38th st., Oakland.

A NICE, newly furnished, sunny room; board; refined private family; \$55 for 2, 1333 Castro st. Call 8 to 9 a. m., or after 3:45 p. m.

A LARGE sunny room; best home table; strict housekeeping. 1334 Jackson, 2nd room if desired. 555 Williams st., near 15th and San Pablo ave.

A LARGE sunny rooms; running water, etc. 1388 Webster st.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE home for the sick, 488 College ave., cor. Clarendon, phone Piedmont 601. Moderate.

ELWOOD, 625 STYCAMORE ST. Rooms, with board, per month up. Phone Oakland 6269.

FURNISHED rooms, sunny, all modern conveniences. Good table; board; very clean. 1217 Webster st.

FURNISHED rooms, with board if desired. 1440 Chestnut st., Oakland; near Key Route.

FOR 1 or 2 gentlemen, pleasant room with good board, bath. Box 4724, Tribune.

FOR RENT—Furnished, three rooms, kitchen, private bath, gas and electricity, near Telegraph and 40th st. Key Route. 277 Aggar st. No children.

FURNISHED rooms and board in private place, between Broadway and Telegraph ave. \$22.50 and up. Call 480 12th st.

GOOD room and board in refined family, home privileges, phone and bath; gentleman, references. 558 Merrimac st.

GENTLEMAN may obtain board and room, bath, phone, \$5.00 week. 179 19th st.

HOTEL ELIZABETH

Room and board; home cooking, 541 22d st.

Nothing done. Only \$15.00 per month. Only \$17.50 per foot.

Secure one of these beautiful lots on high ground, close in, with all improvements. 460 13th st., room 12.

FOR SALE—One of the best lots in East Oakland, builders' chance. Apply at 12th and 15th st. Price \$20.

NICE newly furnished room and bath for one or two gentlemen, with or without board, in private family. Condo. schools and good reason for selling at a sacrifice. Above price applies only if purchased as a whole. No cash. Cost more than this figure some time ago.

GEORGE A. TAYLOR, 46th ave. and East 14th st. Opposite Melrose Station.

14 LOTS—3600 feet frontage; \$20 front lot; street work done; close in. Box 1021, Tribune.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

A SNAP

Cosy 4-room cottage, large lot, near Melrose, half block from Key Route, 902 Market, Phone Vernon 135, Home A-2809.

A MODERN 4-room high-basement cottage, lot 41x150; high and level. See owner, 302 Pershing ave., near Nicholson ave., Fruitvale.

BUY A BUNGALOW—BARGAIN

Exceptionally pretty home containing 6 large rooms, built completely modern, residence location in Fruitvale, strictly modern and high class; large living room, massive fireplace, beamed ceilings, cement walks, 1400 sq. ft. lot, 18th st. and a bungalow home at a bargain; easy terms; part cash, balance monthly payments. Furniture for sale also at big bargain. See owner at 2008 Pershing ave., Fruitvale, near Davis st., Sundays only.

BARGAIN BARGAIN BARGAIN

For Sale—Cottage, well built, close to electric car; two lots 53x100 feet, room for another cottage; price only \$1275. Part cash, balance monthly; would readily rent for \$200 per month; owner must have money; this is a snap. See owner at once, 293 Bacon Block, Oakland.

BEAUTIFUL rustic bungalow 5 rooms, bath; near Key Route and S. P. stations; \$650 down, balance easy terms. 200 Allen st.

BARGAIN—North Berkeley, house 4 rooms and bath; lot 45x135; on the street; near S. P. locals; small part down, balance monthly. Owner, 912 E. 24th st.

ONE COTTAGE left, 4 rooms; \$50 down, 2nd month takes it. J. W. Ives, 4608 E. 14th st., Melrose.

Snap—\$250 Down

Balance small payments. Five-room new bungalow, built completely modern in every respect; paneled living rooms; large open fireplace; large basement; lot 45x135; situated on 24th and 25th streets; will consider trade. C. M. Magruder, owner, 404 18th st., phone Oakland 4215.

4200—Four-room cottage; \$300 down. 4200—Five-room cottage; \$250 down. 4200—Five-room cottage; \$250 down. We will build to suit on easy terms. Rickley & Troughton, 37 Telegraph.

3500—NEW modern bungalow for sale; 4 rooms and bath; lot 45x135; on the street; situated on Woodland ave., bet. Moss and Kington ave.; good view; terms easy. Call or address 3550 Broadway.

\$750 down, 3rd month, buys new 7-room house, three blocks from Berkeley station. Lot 37x13x135; \$5500; Berkeley P. O. Box 42.

MELROSE REAL ESTATE.

I will sell at far below cost 20 lots at the above price. They are situated close to cars in Elmhurst and when the eastern Pacific enters next summer or fall prices will be at the end of the street. Lots adjoin. Streets are all graded. Many new houses are being built in the neighborhood. Must sell at once.

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HEART.: TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN.: HOME

Woman of 30 HAS FOUR HUSBANDS All at Once

LANCASTER, Pa., March 20.—With a string of four alleged husbands on her trail, Mrs. Agnes Jane Miller-Rutter-Moore-Leaman-Henry is in the Lancaster jail awaiting a hearing before Magistrate Doehler on a charge of bigamy.

When taken into custody by Constable Lollar she said that some of her husbands treated her badly, and in that she thought there was sufficient excuse to tempt fate with other ventures along the same line.

In February of last year she married Isaac D. Leaman Jr., who is now her accuser, and he asserts that a year later she pleaded fidelity to Amos Henry at Harrisburg.

Prior to these excursions into the realm of matrimony Leaman says she was united to William Moore, and even then that she had not attended to the formality of divorcing herself from Jacob Rutter.

She was very despondent after her arrest. The woman is not more than 30 years of age.

Daughters Beat Child Wife

NEW YORK, March 21.—A verdict was rendered in favor of the two daughters of the late George A. Barker, who brought suit to upset his will, which left his entire fortune to the young woman he married a few months prior to his death. The case was tried before Justice Amend of the Supreme Court.

Barker had country places in Westchester county and on Long Island, and left an estate estimated at \$350,000. At the trial testimony was given as to his eccentricities. It was sworn to by the daughters that he consumed a quart of gin each morning before breakfast, and that his dinner usually consisted of a quart bottle of brandy and a quart of milk.

WOMAN SUES HER LAWYER FOR \$25,000

NEW YORK, March 21.—Sara Alice Cunningham Murtough, formerly of Albany, but of recent a resident at the Hoffman House, has, as a rider to her matrimonial litigation, instituted a suit in the Supreme Court in which she seeks to recover from Eugene D. Flanagan, an Albany lawyer, with offices at No. 100 State street, the sum of \$25,000 damages for alleged slander. The matter got into the Supreme Court recently on an application made to Justice O'Gorman for a change of venue to Albany county, made by counsel for Flanagan, which he granted.

Mrs. Murtough's husband is superintendent of the Amstell Brewing Company, of Albany, and is widely known throughout the State. She has a suit pending for a divorce and several others against prominent men in Albany, including the chief of Police and some physicians.

Her suit against Flanagan, sets forth that on February 13, 1908, he accused her publicly in the Albany Building of being a liar, a lunatic and a street-walker. These charges, she says, were unfounded and malicious. Flanagan, in his application to the court for a change of venue, sets forth that in March, 1906, proceedings were begun in Albany to have Mrs. Murtough declared insane. She resisted the charges, however, and won. Flanagan avers under oath that he declined to continue as her counsel when he learned from John J. P. C. Kincaid, a United States revenue officer, that Mrs. Murtough and others had been engaged in a scheme to defraud the United States government out of \$38,000 in internal

BABY BEAUTY CONTEST



DALLAS F. KALBAUGH.

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The contest will be concluded on May 2 and the prizes distributed in this manner: \$25 in gold for the handsomest baby, \$10 for the next handsomest baby, \$5 each for the next three handsomest babies.

Those entering the competition should send the photographs plainly marked on the back, with the name, age and address of the baby, and the parent's name. The prizes will be awarded by a jury. Address all photos to Editor Woman's Page, THE TRIBUNE, Oakland.

Point Richmond, Alameda city and Oakland are today competing for THE TRIBUNE baby beauty prizes. From Point Richmond comes George Richard Cheney, aged seven months.

Alameda's representative is Juliet Esther Weinstock, aged six months, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weinstock, 1114 Buena Vista avenue.

Dallas F. Kalbaugh is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kalbaugh, 328 Thirty-third street, Oakland.



JULIET E. WEINSTOCK.

WOMAN GIVES WOULD-BE-SUICIDE NEW INTEREST IN LIFE

GEORGETOWN, Del., March 21.—Henry Ingram, who tried to hang himself with a wire because his sweetheart, Miss Mabel Jones, had refused to marry him, gained a new interest in life yesterday when he bashfully entered the office of the clerk of the peace and asked for a marriage license to wed the object of his affections.

Mabel made him promise that he will never try to hang himself any more, and the wedding will take place this week.



GEORGE R. CHENEY.

'HOLY GHOST' GIRL CONVERTS PENNYLESS IN ENGLAND.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 21.—Three Philadelphia girls, lured into following "Holy Ghosts" Thomas B. O'Reilly on a missionary quest to Brazil, are in Liverpool, and anxiously awaiting an opportunity to embark on a boat bound for the United States. The "spell" exerted by their leader seems to have worn off with time.

"I'm so tired of all this wandering," wrote Mabel Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Collins of 2133 Catharine street, Philadelphia, to her mother. "I believe God is going to tell me to come home. Won't you pray for me, and won't you have all friends pray that I may be 'called' back to you. I'm so homesick over here, and I want to come back."

This is the part of a letter that was received by Mrs. Collins soon after the

arrival at Liverpool of the trio of Brazilian "missionaries." Mabel had been sick during the five-day trip, and had been ill at ease on her arrival on the other side of the "pond." There is no "Holy Ghost" mission in Liverpool, and the girls have been stopping with workers of the Young Women's Christian Association.

Homesickness seems to have taken a strong hold on Bertha Reiderberger and Annie Deak, the other two "inspired ones." Bertha Reiderberger has written to friends in this city telling of rough

treatment to Prophet O'Reilly on the eve of his departure for England.

Thus, hearing stories of O'Reilly's influence on the Philadelphia girls, entered the negro mission house in Hell's Kitchen and sent him unceremoniously. Police would not interfere, and O'Reilly left the following day, bearing the marks of his trouncing.

O'Reilly's record in three big cities on this side of the Atlantic is very similar. He was stoned out of San Francisco; he left Philadelphia after being harassed and threatened, and he was beaten on the last night of his stay in New York.

URGES MOTHERS TO CARRY ON PURE FOOD CRUSADE

WASHINGTON, March 21.—"If every mistress of a household in this country could demand pure foods," declared Dr. Harvey W. Wiley before the Mothers' Congress, "there would be little difficulty in the courts, and manufacturers would soon cease making things which the mothers of this country would refuse to buy for use in their families."

Dr. Wiley, who is chief of the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture, spoke on "Pure Food in the Household." A union of the mistresses of households, said Dr. Wiley, by singleness of purpose, unity of action and power of organization, could secure a better conformity to the law than any vigilance on the part of the executors of the law would be able to accomplish.

"Especially where there are children in the house," said he, "the importance of the purity of the milk cannot be sufficiently accentuated. The actual danger to health and actual threat of death in the case of infants that are fed impure milk is one of the greatest curses of the country."

"My plea, therefore, is in order to secure pure food in the household, that these and similar organizations unite to compel the manufacturers and dealers in

foodstuffs to stop all adulterations, all misbranding, all coloring, all deception and furnish the pure, unadulterated and palatable article."

Are You a Little Wild Rose?

NEW YORK, March 21.—That is the question which in her own peculiar way Mrs. Mildred Manly Caldwell of Canton, Ohio, is asking the tall-stemmed American Beauties who sometimes decorate the city of New York. Mrs. Caldwell is delivering four Lenten lectures on Wednesday mornings, at the Waldorf-Astoria, under the patronage of the National Society of Ohio Women. The subject of her first lecture, given recently, was "In Relation to Our Selves."

"New York women are ordinary," said Mrs. Caldwell. "Their life pictures are either dead white or red and animal-like."

VALUE OF GIRL'S LIFE Decided by "FLIP OF A COIN"

NEW YORK, March 21.—Upon a reversal of the suit in which a jury had previously decided adversely by a flip of a coin to the contention of Thomas Dixon that he should be reimbursed pecuniarily by the New York City Railway Company for the killing of his little daughter, Lillian, four and one-half years old, a jury before Justice McCall of the Supreme Court recently handed down a verdict in his favor for \$112,500. The first trial was had before Justice Day in the Supreme Court, and the jury

unhesitatingly admitted that, failing to agree, they resorted to flipping a coin in order to arrive at a verdict. The coin came down tails and there was no verdict for Dixon. Justice Guy heard of the extraordinary proceeding in the jury room and imposed on each juror a fine of \$50. The verdict was set aside and a new trial ordered, which was prosecuted by Louis Steckler, counsel for Dixon.

The testimony showed that Mrs. Dixon was crossing Columbus avenue with a baby in her arms and heading Lillian. A car ran down Lillian and crushed out her life before her mother.

What they need is blue and violet in their soul pictures, mixed with the gold of spiritual life.

"If your life is dead white, mix with it the pink of loving kindness; but, mind you, no animal roads," went on Mrs. Caldwell. American women need intellectual blue, the violet of culture and the more profound education as the educated women of Europe understand it.

"In New York women entertain their friends sumptuously, feed them the richest viands, keep up the most magnificent establishments, serve them wines of the finest vintages, and then, with all this, the hostess herself has nothing to offer but the stale bear of gossip—no ideas interesting to any one with a broader view of life than her own little circle.

"For all our boasted American women, we are only little wild roses struggling along by the way, growing any way we happen to. New York women think they work up to the limit of their time and strength. Get your second wind!"

The succeeding lectures which Mrs. Caldwell will deliver will tell the American women how to "get their second wind."

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'Here's the Very Note!' WIFE CAUGHT HUSBAND AT MIDNIGHT

NEW YORK, March 21.—What should a wife do when she arises in the middle of the night and finds her husband dashing off a red hot letter to his affinity? It didn't take Mrs. Lulu Simonson long to decide. She caught her husband by the coat collar and held the letter to the light. This sentence arrested her attention: "I am living a life of hell here." Mrs. Simonson, good looking, but muscular, smiled grimly and remarked: "I am going to give you a drubbing, so get ready." For a few seconds there was a rough-and-tumble fight and then Simonson escaped to the street.

His wife took the letter to the Lee Avenue Court, Williamsburg, and Magistrate Higginbotham issued a warrant. Simonson was arrested and held in \$300 bail for examination. Here is the letter: "Ethel—My own, beloved darling; my turtle dove. I am writing these few lines, my darling girl, to inquire how my own sweet love is feeling. I hope in the best of health. I am not feeling very well. I have a terrible headache and my neck hurts me a great deal. Sweet, beloved, darling girl! If it rains or snows Sunday I will be at the house at 9 o'clock, but if it is clear I will phone to you, sweet love, to find out if you are going to church or not."

"Sweet, beloved, darling girl, answer. If I come to the house I will ring the bell, but sweetheart have a light in the dining-room. Please, my own sweet one, so that I will not have to worry my brains away. Think of me sometimes, sweetheart. I am thinking of you all the time. I have prayed for you every night. I have not forgot to once and I shall never forget to pray for my own darling, beautiful angel girl. God bless you, sweet love, and keep you in his tender care. I am leading a life of hell here—"

"Judge," said Mrs. Simonson in court. "I know this Ethel, and when he calls her 'beautiful, sweet girl,' he libels her. She weighs at least 200." Simonson was glad when the proceedings were over.

Bashful Young Woman Tells Rescuer I Can't Go Up Unless You Hold It [THAT LADDER] And I Won't Go Up Unless You Hold It [THAT LADDER] If You Do!"

WINSTED, Conn., March 21.—Beauty in distress turned Gus Katz, a popular young man of Torrington, into a "burglar." He got a whack on the head that will necessitate his wearing his hat under his arm for several days.

Gus was on his way home from a dance, when he saw a girl crying in front of one of the finest houses in the residential section. Between sobs she told him that she had been locked out and that as her guardian was very deaf she had been unable to awaken him. She pointed out the window of her room on the second floor and Katz obtained a ladder and placed it in position. "Unless you hold it, and I won't go up if you do. Won't you please climb through the window and wake her up! I'll be all right."

Reluctantly Katz obeyed. He had no sooner got inside the window than the deaf woman yelled "Robbers!" at the top of her voice. Gus started down lunge. The woman higher up dropped a



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white hair which is most becoming to her fresh and youthful face. She has a slender and willowy figure and dresses beautifully and with great taste.

SPENDING THE SUMMER IN BERKELEY.

Mrs. Milton Pray who, with Mr. Pray, is spending the spring months with Mrs. Pray Sr. at the Berkeley Inn has given up her apartments at the Hillcrest in California street, across the bay.

Mrs. Laura Cropper who, since the fire, has lived at the Hotel Carlton in Berkeley is spending the spring months at Del Monte.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crocker who have been spending the late winter months at the St. Francis return to their household in Belvedere soon.

COLLEGIATE ALUMNAE AT STANFORD.

The Collegiate Alumnae who were recently so beautifully entertained by Mrs. Mills are spending today at Stanford as the guests of the University. Stanford is in an uproar just now over the threatened strike of students and some of the most prominent men in the University have been indefinitely suspended so the present is not, perhaps, the most cheerful time for a visit. It is a good deal like visiting a family which is rent by internal dissension.

MRS. THOMAS IN THE SOUTH.

Mrs. William Thomas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kimball, at the Kim-

ball ranch in Southern California and after a fortnight there will go to Santa Barbara for two weeks. On her return the Thomases will go to San Rafael. Mrs. Thomas has been one of the most delightful and thoughtful hostesses of the winter, having entertained her friends most delightfully and generously.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MR. MAGEE.

THE SAGGED death of John Magee, formerly one of the best known shipping men of the Coast, has shocked his friends. Mr. Magee dropped unconscious on the street with apoplexy and died in the ambulance while being removed to the hospital. Fortunately Mrs. Magee was with him and was at his side when he died. The two were on their way to the San Rafael ferry to visit their only child, Mrs. J. Hunter Harrison, who lives in San Rafael. Mrs. Harrison who was popular as Maud Magee and Mrs. Magee are prosituted over the affair.

THE MEDDLER.

The Oakland Club will give a musical entertainment at the meeting next Wednesday with Mrs. Geo. A. Paul-

ner in charge of the program. Among those who will contribute piano numbers is Miss Mabel Porter of Berkeley who will play a group of MacDowell compositions. An enjoyable afternoon is anticipated by the members and their guests.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Mrs. Willard Gutches was hostess on Friday afternoon entertaining the Ladies of the Round Table. "The Legends of the Seaboard of Rome" by the Gauls was the subject of an interesting paper by Mrs. J. E. Travis. Miss Broughs reading from fiction. A social

MOLLYCODDLE Gets a Light Sentence Boy Was Raised As a Girl

CHICAGO, March 21.—Celia Peterson, "a girl burglar," arrested sometime ago, who turns out to be a boy, had a hearing in court, recently. Dr. Harold N. Moyer testified that "Miss" Peterson was a healthy youth. "Miss" Peterson "herself" told Judge Kerstein that she always suspected that "she" was a boy, but was not certain because her parents told her she was a girl and kept her dressed as a girl.

"I lived and played with the girls all my life," Celia, told the court, "and I

was told by my parents that I was a girl. After several years I learned that my parents knew that I was a boy, but had dressed me as a girl because they could not afford to buy me a boy's clothes. Then I was ashamed to make my identity known to my companions. I thought of every way to tell them I was a boy, but nothing suggested itself to me. Finally I decided to do something that would cause me to be arrested and put in jail. So I committed burglary. I always have wanted to be a boy, wear boys' clothes and play like a boy does."

Judge Kerstein pondered for some time over the problem but when Dr. Moyer had given his testimony the court official declared that Celia should be treated as a boy. Under the existing circumstances the State's Attorney agreed not to press the charge of felony burglary, but merely to ask for a term in the reformatory for petty larceny.

"And just as soon as he is really becomes a young man," said Judge Kerstein, "and the authorities and physicians decide he is ready to go forth as a boy, I will have him released."

In pleading the cause of young Peterson, Dr. Moyer cited instances to show that when people finally are dressed in the garb of their sex they lose their original instincts and become good citizens.

CAN HUSBAND STEAL FROM WIFE?

NEW YORK, March 21.—"If a man's wife belongs to him does her watch?" This was a question put to Magistrate Dooley in the Adams Street Police Court, Brooklyn, a while ago. He now has the matter under consideration for a week.

Arthur Barry, twenty-two years old, of Glen Cove, L. I., was charged with larceny by his wife, Mary Barry. She said her husband spent all she had, \$500, on their honeymoon. After that he pawned her jewelry and then she alleges, stole her gold watch.

Lawyer O'Reilly, representing the husband, asked the Magistrate to dismiss the complaint, claiming that a husband cannot steal from his own wife.

Bachelors Vs. Benedicts

NEW YORK, March 21.—Women, championed by bachelors against benedicts, provided the issue of the annual meeting of the Brooklyn Lawn Tennis Club recently. The gallant bachelors contended that the organization should fall in line with other clubs and open its courts to women experts with the racket. Their arguments fell upon the deaf ears of the married members of the club, who were jealously guarding the one retreat from which women had been excluded since the club was organized nearly twelve years ago. The married members stood together on all questions and elected their ticket, headed by Walter C. Pate, a corporation lawyer for president; John C. Remond, secretary; Charles C. Putnam, treasurer, and the governors, William E. Morris, secretary American Smelting and Refining Company; Walter C. Perkins, Henry B. Robinson and Frederick H. Sanborn.

There were three things upon which the bachelors and married members agreed: The retention of the club membership in the Metropolitan League championship; the continuous schedule of tournaments; and the re-nomination of Groundsman Alexander Studwell. The latter is said to have kept the four courts as hard and level as a deck and in the most shipshape order, which was explained by one of the members as due to his being a retired ship's captain and whaler who had renounced the bounding billow for the sobriety and evenness of life on the tennis court.

Beginning early in May class handicaps in singles and doubles and handicapped sweepstakes will be played on the courts at Atlantic avenue, between Franklin and Classon avenues, Brooklyn, throughout the season. The annual championships in singles and doubles, respectively held by W. L. Pate and W. L. Pate and F. H. Sanborn, will be played in the autumn, but there will be no events for women this year.

hour and refreshments were enjoyed. The evening party of the club will be held at the home of the club president, Mrs. Stuart Merrill, on March 28.

GOING EAST.

Miss Gertrude D. Easton left today for her home in New York after an enjoyable visit here as the guest of Mrs. Patterson at Jackson, the home of the latter in Sycamore street. The attractive visitor spent several weeks in Oakland.

VISITING FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Ralph Jones have returned from Mexico and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Letts Oliver for a few days before going to their home in Martinez. The marriage of the young attorney and Miss Carolyn Oliver was an event of last month.

LUNCHEON GUESTS.

Mrs. Harry W. Bishop entertained yesterday at a delightful luncheon given at her Piedmont home. The decorations were entirely in yellow with spring blossoms and broad streamers of satin ribbon in effective combination.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Edward Griffiths, Mrs. Sylvanus C. Barnham, Mrs. E. L. Moseley, Mrs. J. B. Clifford, Miss Marian Barney, Miss Isabelle Fletcher, Mrs. H. T. Brown, Mrs. George Friend, Mrs. Edward Poulkes, Mrs. William S. Newell, Mrs. B. S. Oliver, Mrs. L. H. Bishop, Mrs. Harry Thomas, Mrs. Sidney Haslet, Miss Elsie Clifford, Miss Jessie Craig, Mrs. John Wilson Jackson, Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson and Miss Annie Jackson.

CARD CLUB.

Mrs. Charles A. Jackson was hostess yesterday afternoon at the meeting of a card club held at her home in Thirty-fifth street. The guests were Mrs. Rupert Whitehead, Mrs. Roosevelt Johnson, Mrs. F. R. Chadwick, Mrs. Frank Titus, Mrs. A. L. Leber, Mrs. W. H. L. Hynes, Mrs. Edward Schwier, Mrs. A. A. Dennison, Mrs. Herman Sagehorn, Mrs. Harry East, Mrs. George A. Scott, Mrs. Frederick Dorsay, Mrs. Frank Barnett, Mrs. William Westphal and Mrs. A. J. Merle.

PLAYED CARDS.

Miss Lillian Bredling was hostess yesterday at the informal meeting of a card club held at her home. Among those who enjoyed the afternoon were Mrs. Edward Hall Dodge, Mrs. Homer Craig, Mrs. Robert Valenau, Mrs. P. Sumner Loop, Mrs. Edgar Jones, Mrs. Ernest D. Porter, Mrs. Roy Mauvais, Mrs. Guy Lillencrantz, Miss Mary Pond and Miss Blanche Layman.

CALUMET CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGovern will entertain the members of the Calumet Club at the meeting next week. Among those invited are Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brophy of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry East, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roach, Miss Mary Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shay and Percy Hardinburg.

HOME PARTY.

Miss Gertrude Benson entertained a party of friends at an informal party given last Thursday evening at her pretty home. The complimentary guest was Miss Avis Cunningham and among those present were Miss Frances Baxter, Miss Florence Page, Miss Tempest Wedell, Miss Genevieve Mills, Miss Benson, James Bates, Gerald Newton, Edward Pope, Alfred Holmes, Parker Everett and Herbert Fairchild.

VISITING RELATIVES.

Miss Harry Lane, formerly Miss Mabel Reed, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Reed at their home in Telegraph avenue. Mrs. Lane will remain here for a month and will be the motif for a series of pleasant affairs.

WEDDING DATE.

The marriage of Miss Marietta Havens and Paul Dinsmore will take place Wednesday, June 24, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. The ceremony will be one of the prettiest events of the season and will be attended by several hundred friends of the couple. An informal reception at the A. W. Havens home will follow the church service. The bridal party will include several friends of the bride-elect but the details are not yet complete.

WEDDING PLANS.

The marriage of Miss Goldie White and Gus Olsen will take place this summer probably at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. White in Eighteenth street. No definite date has been announced for the ceremony but a large circle of acquaintances are extending their felicitations to the popular couple. Miss White is possessed of a soprano voice which has made her a favorite in the musical world and it was while associated in their musical interests that the couple became friends and later were engaged.

Mr. Olsen is in business in Fresno but formerly made his home in this part of the State.

EVENING AFFAIR.

Mrs. Sidney Haslet (nee Hohfeld) will entertain this evening at a reception for half a hundred guests. This is the first elaborate affair given by the attractive young matron since her marriage a few months ago.

CARD PARTY.

Mrs. Charles D. Bates Jr., will be hostess at an informal card party to be given Thursday evening, April 2, at her new home in Adams Point. The guests will be members of an evening card club and among those present will be Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stent, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Valentine Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dan Belden, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Challen Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dickman and several others.

Bride Ought to Select Good Social Circle

The most important business a bride has to face is the choice of her new friends and the making of a social circle which is to last herself and husband through lifetime. When the newly mar-